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AUGUST 1, 2007

LENGTH-00:36 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MANATEE COUNTY DEPUTIES ARE SORTING OUT THE DETAILS FOLLOWING A LATE NIGHT CHASE THAT BEGAN IN MANATEE COUNTY AND ENDED WITH A CRASH IN SARASOTA. IT HAPPENED LAST NIGHT JUST BEFORE MIDNIGHT WHEN A MANATEE COUNTY DEPUTY SPOTTED A SUSPECTED STOLEN VEHICLE IN THE 57-HUNDRED BLOCK OF 14TH STREET WEST. DEPUTIES TRIED TO USE STOP STICKS IN THE 69-HUNDRED BLOCK OF 14TH STREET WEST, BUT THE DRIVER MANAGED TO AVOID THEM. WHEN THE CAR CROSSED INTO SARASOTA COUNTY IT WAS TRAVELING AT SPEEDS TOPPING A HUNDRED MILES PER HOUR. THE VEHICLE EVENTUALLY CRASHED INTO A TREE IN THE 14-HUNDRED BLOCK OF 22ND STREET IN SARASOTA. DEPUTIES QUESTIONED 31-YEAR OLD ANDREA MITCHELL WHO WAS SEEN WALKING AWAY FROM THE AREA, BUT HE WAS RELEASED BECAUSE OF A LACK OF EVIDENCE.

LENGTH-01:59 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

NEIGHBORS SAY THEY NEVER KNEW WHAT WAS GOING ON BEHIND THESE DOORS. "RIGHT ACROSS THE STREET, RIGHT ACROSS THE STREET FROM MY HOUSE. I HAD NO IDEA. IT'S HARD TO BELIEVE PEOPLE CAN BE THAT CRUEL." DEPUTIES SAY THEY ONLY DISCOVERED WHAT WAS GOING ON HERE... AFTER A SILENT 9-1-1 CALL FROM THIS ADDRESS. THEY CAME TO JUST CHECK THINGS OUT... AND TOOK A PEEK THROUGH THE WINDOW. "WHEN WE LOOKED INSIDE, WE QUICKLY LEARNED EVERYTHING WAS NOT OKAY." DEPUTIES SAW 90 YEAR OLD CHARLES CARTER LYING IN A BED, BEGGING FOR HELP.... COVERED IN FECES AND BLOOD. SITTING NEXT TO HIM, DEPUTIES SAY WAS HIS 62 YEAR OLD SON, MICHAEL CARTER. DEPUTIES HEARD HIM SAY, JUST DIE DAD, JUST DIE. "AS SOON AS WE HEARD THAT, WE WERE LIKE WOAH." "HOW CAN ANYBODY TREAT THEIR OWN FATHER LIKE THAT? IT'S DISGUSTING." "IS THIS A MAN WHO HAS A LONG CRIMINAL RECORD? NO, WE'RE NOT SURE WHAT MOTIVATED HIM TO LEAVE HIS DAD IN THIS CONDITION AND LET IT GET WORSE AND WORSE." DEPUTIES SAY MICHAEL CARTER WASN'T JUST ABUSING HIS DAD...INSIDE THE HOUSE, THEY ALSO FOUND A SMALL MALNOURISHED DOG WITH SORES ON ITS BODY... ANIMAL SERVICES WAS CALLED. THE DOG WAS NOT IN GOOD SHAPE. DON'T KNOW IF THE DOG IS STILL ALIVE OR NOT." "HERE BABY, KITTY, HERE KITTY..." LIKE SO MANY OTHER NEIGHBORS, GENEVA LOPEZ FEELS BAD SHE DIDN'T KNOW THE KIND OF TROUBLE 90 YEAR OLD CHARLES WAS IN.. BUT SHE SAYS SHE CAN AT LEAST HELP NOW... "IT'S OKAY SWEETIE.. BY FEEDING THE CAT CHARLES' LOVED... DEPUTIES SAY WHEN THEY ARRESTED MICHAEL CARTER, THEY HAD TO STOP HIM FROM CHUGGING ALCOHOL. NEIGHBORS SAY THEY'RE DISGUSTED BY HIS ACTIONS... BUT THEIR HEARTS GO OUT TO HIS FATHER... AND EVERYONE WISHES THEY WOULD HAVE DONE MORE TO HELP..." "I WALK BY THERE ALL THE TIME WITH MY DOG. I HAD NO IDEA." "MAYBE IF I WOULD HAVE COME OVER AND SAID SOMETHING, HERE'S YOUR CAT, IF I GOT CLOSER TO HIM, MAYBE I COULD HAVE SEEN SOMETHING."

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

AND A THIRD PERSON HAS BEEN ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH A MONEY LAUNDERING SCHEME IN SARASOTA. INVESTIGATORS HAVE ARRESTED SHERRY EDWARDS OF ORLANDO. THEY SAY SHE AND TWO OTHERS BILKED NEARLY 94-THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM AN ORLANDO BASED CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT DISTRIBUTOR. LAST WEEK, STATE AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES ARRESTED MEGAN SMITH AND PETER LUTJENS BOTH OF SARASOTA IN CONNECTION WITH THE CASE. . ALL THREE FACE SEVERAL CHARGES. THE CASE IS BEING INVESTIGATED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE IN TAMPA.

LENGTH-01:14 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

HEALTH OFFICIALS SAY IT COULD PROVIDE HOPE IN UNRAVELING THE MYSTERY BEHIND THE RISING CASES OF AUTISM. THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH FOUND PREGNANT WOMEN WHO LIVED CLOSEST TO FIELDS WHERE CERTAIN PESTICIDES WERE USED HAD A GREATER RISK OF HAVING A CHILD WITH THE NEUROLOGICAL DISORDER. THEIR LIKELIHOOD OF HAVING A CHILD WITH AUTISM WAS SIX TIMES WHAT IT WOULD HAVE BEEN EXPECTED IN THE GENERAL POPULATION. HEALTH OFFICIALS CAUTION THOUGH, THEY CAN'T MAKE A DEFINITE LINK BETWEEN PESTICIDES AND AUTISM...BECAUSE THE STUDY WAS TOO SMALL. BUT THEY SAY, WITH AN ESTIMATED 1 IN 150 CHILDREN DIAGNOSED WITH AUTISM, THE POSSIBILITY OF A LINK IS WORTH EXPLORING. WE ARE AT A VERY EARLY STAGE. BUT ONCE AGAIN, WE HAVE A SUBSTANTIVE HYPOTHESIS ON WHICH TO BASE FURTHER RESEARCH. THE PESTICIDES IN QUESTION ARE ORGANOCHLORINE PESTICIDES. THEY ARE USED TO CONTROL MITES...PARTICULARLY IN COTTON CROPS. OFFICIALS SAY THEIR USE HAS BEEN DWINDLING IN RECENT YEARS. SOME AUTISM EXPERTS ARE TAKING NOTE..EVEN THOUGH THE RESEARCH IS PRELIMINARY. EVERY TIME WE GET A LITTLE BIT MORE INFORMATION, WE'RE GROPEING LESS IN THE DARK AND WE'RE GETTING A LITTLE BIT MORE LIGHT AT THE END OF THE TUNNEL. AND SOME EXPERTS SAY THE FINAL ANSWER MAY REVEAL THAT THERE IS A COMBINATION OF FACTORS LEADING TO AUTISM. MANY EXPERTS POINT TO GENETICS AND THE ENVIRONMENT AS THE POSSIBLE CULPRITS. AND, THEY SAY, WITH SO MANY PARENTS DESPERATE FOR ANSWERS, THERE IS NO STONE WORTH LEAVING UNTURNED.

LENGTH-02:52 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

"I KNEW I WAS GOING TO HAVE AN ABORTION. WE HAD A DATE SET UP." DATING IN HIGH SCHOOL JASON AND KRISTEN DIDN'T THINK THEY WERE READY TO BECOME PARENTS. ABORTION SEEMED LIKE THE ONLY ANSWER. AS YOU CAN SEE THAT WASN'T THE ROUTE THEY ENDED UP TAKING. THEY'RE NOW THE PROUD PARENTS OF 15-MONTH OLD CLAYTON. THEY SAY PREGNANCY SOLUTIONS A NON-PROFIT FAITH BASED CENTER IN VENICE SUPPORTED THEM THROUGH A DIFFICULT TIME. "THEY COMPLETELY CHANGED MY MIND. THERE IS NO WAY I COULD PICTURE MY LIFE WITHOUT CLAYTON." "WE REACH OUT TO WOMEN WHO ARE AT A TURNING POINT IN THEIR LIVES." THE CENTERS DIRECTOR MARY JANE SCHNEIDERHAHN SAYS THEY SEE WOMEN AGES 14 TO 50 WITH ALL DIFFERENT TYPES OF SITUATIONS. SHE SAYS

THEY'LL SEE MORE THAN 500-PREGNANT WOMEN THIS YEAR ALONE."I'VE HAD THEM DRIVE UP IN JAGUAR AND GIRLS THAT ARE HOMELESS. IT WORKS SO WELL BECAUSE IT'S WOMEN REACHING OUT TO OTHER WOMEN."THEY USE COUNSELLING AND EDUCATIONAL TOOLS "THAT'S THE BOOK THEY RECEIVE TO KEEP ALL THEIR LESSONS IN."AND SUPPLIES TO ENCOURAGE KEEPING THE BABY. "WHEN THE GIRLS COME IN AND TAKE THEIR CLASSES THEY EARN MOMMY DOLLARS."BUT THEY SAY ONE HIGH TECH TOOL USUALLY HITS HOME."YOUR LOOKING RIGHT AT IT'S TWO EYES, THERE'S THE HEART BEATING."THEY'RE USING A STATE OF THE ART ULTRA SOUND MACHINE TO SHOW WHAT'S GROWING INSIDE."WHEN WE FIRST HAD THE ULTRA SOUND DONE AND WE HEART THE HEART BEAT THAT'S WHEN I THINK WE CONNECTED AND BONDED CLOSER AND KEEPING THE BABY. IT'S AN AMAZING MOMENT.">
"IF WE COUNCIL THE GIRLS WHEN THEY FIRST FIND OUT THEY'RE PREGNANT AND DO THE ULTRA SOUND ON THEM WE HAVE 96-PERCENT OF GIRLS CHOOSING LIFE." THE MACHINE HAS ALSO ENCOURAGED SOME OF THEIR VISITORS TO CHOOSE ADOPTION FOR THEIR BABY, WHICH THE CENTER OFFERS HELP WITH. BUT THEY ALSO HELP THOSE WHO ULTIMATELY CHOOSE ABORTION AS THEIR CHOICE."WE DO HAVE AN ABORTION SUPPORT GROUP HERE. AFTER THEY HAVE AN ABORTION A LOT OF THEM COME BACK. WE DON'T HAVE A LOT THAT CHOOSE ABORTION BUT THE ONES THAT COME BACK WE MINISTER TO."A CHOICE THEY SAY IS A WOMAN'S OWN BUT ONE THEIR HELPING MAKE EASIER IN VENICE."THE SWEETEST THING I HEAR IS THIS BABY WOULDN'T BE ALIVE IF NOT FOR PREGNANCY SOLUTIONS.""I WOULDN'T HAVE A WONDERFUL CHILD LIKE I DO."

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A CLEARWATER MAN HAS BEEN ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE ROBBERY LAST SPRING OF A CHARLOTTE COUNTY GAS STATION. DEPUTIES ARRESTED 24-YEAR OLD RONNY FRANK GUZMAN. HE'S CHARGED WITH ROBBING AT GUNPOINT, THE CHEVRON STATE IN THE FOUR THOUSAND BLOCK OF EL JOBEAN ROAD LAST APRIL. THERE WERE NO INJURIES. GUZMAN IS BEING HELD IN THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY JAIL.

LENGTH—00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

CHARGES TONIGHT AGAINST AN ACCUSED DRUNK DRIVER INVOLVED IN A DEADLY CRASH. AARON GOODING NOW FACES CHARGES INCLUDING DUI MANSLAUGHTER, VEHICULAR HOMICIDE, AND DRIVING WITHOUT A VALID LICENSE. INVESTIGATORS SAY HE RAN A RED LIGHT LAST MARCH AT UNIVERSITY PARKWAY AND LOCKWOOD RIDGE ROAD ... AND SMASHED INTO A CAR DRIVEN BY LISA KREIDER. KREIDER DIED AT LAKEWOOD RANCH MEDICAL CENTER.

LENGTH-00:12 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

TWO BOYS SURVIVED AN ATTACK IN A GEORGIA HOME THAT LEFT A WOMAN AND HER TWO DAUGHTERS DEAD. THE BOYS ARE JUVENILES AND ONE IS THE WOMAN'S SON. THEY WERE FOUND UNCONSCIOUS INSIDE THE HOUSE NEAR ATLANTA AND ARE NOW HOSPITALIZED. POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING THE DEATH AS A TRIPLE MURDER.

LENGTH-00:58 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

ALS - ALSO KNOWN AS LOU GEHRIG'S DISEASE FOR THE BASEBALL PLAYER WHO DIED OF THE DISORDER - IS A DEVASTATING ILLNESS THAT CAUSES DEGENERATION OF THE BRAIN AND SPINAL CORD. PEOPLE WITH ALS DEVELOP PROBLEMS WITH SWALLOWING, WALKING, AND EVEN BREATHING. MOST TIMES, ALS KILLS WITHIN JUST A FEW YEARS, BUT VERY OCCASIONALLY PEOPLE LIVE MUCH LONGER -- PHYSICIST STEPHEN HAWKING HAS SURVIVED FOR SEVERAL DECADES. THE CAUSES OF THE DISEASE ARE STILL MOSTLY UNKNOWN. HOWEVER, A LARGE STUDY OF ALS PATIENTS HAS PROVIDED NEW CLUES ABOUT THE DISEASE'S ORIGINS. SCIENTISTS USED THE LATEST TECHNOLOGY TO STUDY THE ENTIRE GENOME OF PATIENTS WITH ALS AND COMPARE THEM TO HEALTHY PEOPLE. THEY FOUND A GENE THAT INCREASES THE RISK OF ALS BY 35 PER CENT. RIGHT NOW, THE EXACT FUNCTION OF THE GENE IS UNKNOWN, BUT IT APPEARS TO MAKE A PROTEIN THAT IS FOUND IN THE SPINAL CORD AND OTHER NERVE TISSUE. THEY ALSO DISCOVERED 50 ADDITIONAL GENETIC LOCATIONS THAT MAY ALSO CONTRIBUTE TO ALS RISK. RESEARCHERS BELIEVE THAT PIECING TOGETHER THE GENETIC INFORMATION WILL SOON PROVIDE NEW AVENUES FOR TREATMENT.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

FIREWORKS GET A BROTHER AND SISTER INTO TROUBLE. DETECTIVES WITH THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL'S OFFICE HAVE ARRESTED 19-YEAR-OLD ANTON TRAVIS OF PORT CHARLOTTE AND HIS 16 YEAR-OLD SISTER. DEPUTIES RESPONDED TO A CALL AT A HOME ON TARPON BOULEVARD IN PORT CHARLOTTE. THEY'RE ACCUSED OF THROWING FIREWORKS AT A CAR AND CAUSING \$6-THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF DAMAGE. THE DRIVER OF THE CAR 19-YEAR-OLD BRANDON MCTIGUE WAS ARRESTED. HE FACES MULTIPLE CHARGES.

AUGUST 2, 2007

LENGTH-00:54 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

WE NEED TO ADD JUST A LITTLE BIT MORE HERE AND A LITTLE BIT MORE HERE TO EVEN OUT... DERMATOLOGIST HAROLD BRODY CALLS BOTOX THE STAR OF ANTI-WRINKLE PRODUCTS. IF YOU'RE A LITTLE YOUNGER, SAY IN YOUR 40S, AND YOU DON'T QUITE NEED A FACELIFT, THEN A FILLER BOTOX FACELIFT IS FANTASTIC. THE DRUG'S MAKER, ALLERGAN, ESTIMATES NEARLY THREE MILLION INJECTIONS WERE GIVEN IN 2005. MADE FROM A PURIFIED FORM OF BOTULINUM TOXIN, BOTOX PROMISES TO TEMPORARILY SMOOTH OUT FROWN LINES IN THE BROW. BUT THERE CAN BE SIDE EFFECTS. IF YOU COME TOO LOW, YOU'LL GET A BROW DROOP, AND IF

YOU STAY TOO HIGH AND NOT DO ANYTHING TOO LOW, THE WRINKLES AREN'T GOING TO GO AWAY. BOTOX MAY SOON HAVE COMPETITION FROM ANOTHER MUSCLE RELAXANT CALLED RELOXIN. UNLIKE BOTOX, IT DOESN'T REQUIRE REFRIGERATION. DOCTORS DON'T KNOW HOW LONG THE DRUG WILL LAST. BOTOX INJECTIONS WEAR OFF AFTER ABOUT FOUR MONTHS AND COST AN AVERAGE \$350 PER SHOT. THE PRODUCT IS RECOMMENDED FOR PEOPLE 18 TO 65 YEARS OLD. IT'S AVAILABLE ONLY BY PRESCRIPTION AND THE COMPANY SUGGESTS IT BE ADMINISTERED BY TRAINED PHYSICIANS.

LENGTH-01:26 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

IT IS A NEW FRONTIER IN MEDICINE: "STIMULATING" A BARELY CONSCIOUS BRAIN. ... BACK TO LIFE. "WE'RE ESSENTIALLY JUMP STARTING THE BRAIN TO NEWER, HIGHER LEVELS OF FUNCTIONING IN RESPECT TO AWAKENESS, AROUSAL, COMMUNICATION..." THE PATIENT, A 39-YEAR-OLD MAN WHO WAS MUGGED EIGHT YEARS AGO, LEAVING HIM SEVERELY BRAIN DAMAGED... BUT OCCASSIONALLY AWARE OF HIS SURROUNDINGS. THE FAMILY WANTS TO REMAIN ANONYMOUS, BUT HIS MOTHER TODAY... DESCRIBED THEIR ORDEAL. "IT WAS HARD FOR ME TO DEAL WITH MY SON, LAYING THERE, NOT BEING ABLE TO SHOW ANY SIGNS OF TRYING TO COMMUNICATE AND TO KNOW MY SON WOULD NEVER SPEAK AGAIN. / I PRAYED FOR A MIRACLE." WHAT FOLLOWED CAME PRETTY CLOSE. A 10-HOUR EXPERIMENTAL SURGERY... DEEP INSIDE THE BRAIN. GETTING THERE REQUIRED SURGEONS FOLLOW PRECISE, INTRICATE MAPS... TRAVELLING GINGERLY... AT A QUARTER-OF-AN INCH AN HOUR. DOCTORS THEN IMPLANTED TINY "ELECTRODES" IN THE BRAIN WHICH BEGAN FIRING MILD, ELECTRICAL "PULSES"... 100 TIMES A SECOND. "THE LANGUAGE OF THE BRAIN IS ELECTRICITY SO BY USING ELECTRICAL SIGNALS WE'RE ACTIVATING THE BRAIN USING ITS OWN LANGUAGE." THE EFFECT WAS ALMOST IMMEDIATE. THE PATIENT OPENED HIS EYES AND BEGAN FOCUSING ON THE PEOPLE AROUND HIM. HE HAS CONTINUED IMPROVING EVER SINCE. V/O "MY SON CAN NOW EAT. / HE CAN CRY AND HE CAN LAUGH. AND THE MOST IMPORTANT PART IS HE CAN SAY 'MOMMY' AND 'POP'. AND HE CAN SAY 'I LOVE YOU MOMMY'... I STILL CRY EVERYTIME I SEE MY SON, BUT IT'S TEARS OF JOY." HOW MUCH MORE HE MIGHT IMPROVE, NO ONE KNOWS. HE'S THE FIRST SUCH PATIENT TO BE TREATED WITH "DEEP BRAIN STIMULATION". DOCTORS PLAN TO TRY IT ON 11 MORE... BEFORE OFFERING IT TO THE PUBLIC. BUT FOR THE FIRST TIME... THERE IS REAL HOPE WHERE THERE WAS NONE. FOR TENS OF THOUSANDS OF AMERICANS WITH SEVERE BRAIN INJURY AND BARELY CONSCIOUS... THERE MAY FINALLY BE A WAY TO "REUNITE" THEM... WITH THEIR FAMILIES

LENGTH-01:39 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

OUTSIDE A NIGHTCLUB IN ATLANTA, ARMAN DEGANIAN AND HERMAN HOYING SURVIVED A TERRIFYING ORDEAL; KIDNAPPED AND THROWN IN A TRUNK. WHAT SAVED THEM? HIS IMPULSE WAS, RIGHT AWAY TO, TO SEND A TEXT MESSAGE , AND THAT'S WHAT SAVED US. ARMAN SENT A TEXT MESSAGE TO HIS BROTHER: (GFX) 'WE'VE BEEN KIDNAPPED. PLEASE CALL THE POLICE AND HELP US.' HIS BROTHER DID ALERT THE POLICE, WHO FOUND THE MEN AND MADE TWO ARRESTS. AMERICANS SEND MORE THAN 18 BILLION TEXT MESSAGES EVERY MONTH. AND NOW POLICE

DEPARTMENTS ARE HOPING TO GET SOME OF THOSE BUSY FINGERS AND THUMBS WORKING FOR THEM. WHAT WOULD HAPPEN WE WOULD GO TO CRIME SCENES AND WE'D RESPOND AND WHAT WE WERE FINDING OUT WERE THAT KIDS ON THE SIDES WERE TEXTING ONE ANOTHER WHAT JUST HAPPENED. THE BOSTON POLICE FORCE IS THE FIRST IN THE COUNTRY TO CREATE AN ANONYMOUS TEXTING TIP LINE. BY TYPING 27463...THE NUMBERS THAT SPELL CRIME, PEOPLE CAN ENGAGE IN AN ANONYMOUS DIALOGUE WITH A DISPATCHER. I TESTED IT, SAYING I HAD SEEN A BIKE STOLEN. I WAS QUICKLY ASKED WHERE I WAS, TO DESCRIBE THE PEOPLE WHO TOOK IT, AND WHAT KIND OF VEHICLE THEY USED. I THINK WHAT WE'RE DISCOVERING WITH THE TEXT MESSAGE IS THAT PEOPLE WILL GIVE US MORE. 01 05 53 IT'S HELPED US ON MURDER CASES, IT'S HELPED US ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CASES, IT'S GIVEN US GREAT INTEL ON THE DRUG ACTIVITY THAT'S TAKEN PLACE IN OUR CITY. TEXTING CAN BE ESPECIALLY APPEALING TO TEENAGERS...WHO ARE HESITANT TO MAKE A PHONE CALL WHEN THEY SEE SOMETHING SUSPICIOUS GOING ON. IT CAN BE ESPECIALLY EFFECTIVE WITH TEENAGERS...WHO ARE HESITANT TO MAKE A PHONE CALL WHEN THEY SEE SOMETHING SUSPICIOUS GOING ON. WHAT ABOUT MAKING A CALL OUT LOUD WOULD MAKE YOU NERVOUS? I THINK IT WOULD MAKE ME A LITTLE BIT NERVOUS B/C YOU'RE SEEING IT YOU DON'T WANT THEM TO HEAR YOU OR ANYTHING OR YOU DON'T WANT TO BE CAUGHT DOING IT./ IF YOU'RE TEXTING IT YOU'RE LOOKING DOWN, YOU'RE LOOKING UP CONSTANTLY SO IT'S LIKE SECRETIVE IN A WAY SO TEXTING IS MUCH BETTER. OTHER DEPARTMENTS ARE CALLING BOSTON TO GET IDEAS. THEY SEE IT AS NEW NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH, BUT GOING BEYOND THE FRONT STOOP TO EVERYWHERE THERE ARE CELL PHONES...WHICH THESE DAYS MEANS EVERYWHERE.

LENGTH-00:54 · ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

THERE ARE AROUND 600,000 PEOPLE DIAGNOSED WITH A STROKE EACH YEAR IN THE UNITED STATES, BUT MANY MORE SUFFER A MINIATURE STROKE - MOST WITHOUT EVEN REALIZING IT. THESE SO-CALLED "SILENT STROKES" ARE Milder THAN TYPICAL STROKES, AND PASS QUICKLY SO PEOPLE OFTEN DON'T RECOGNIZE THEM. A NEW STUDY OF MORE THAN 16,000 PEOPLE REVEALS THIS DISORDER IS SURPRISINGLY COMMON. NEARLY ONE IN FIVE ADULTS OVER AGE 45 REPORTED SYMPTOMS OF HIDDEN STROKE BUT HAD NEVER BEEN DIAGNOSED. WHAT'S MORE, THESE SMALL STROKES DO CAUSE LASTING HARM - PEOPLE WHO SUFFERED ONE SCORED ABOUT 6 PER CENT LOWER ON A TEST OF MENTAL FUNCTION. WARNING SIGNS OF SILENT STROKE INCLUDE WEAKNESS OR NUMBNESS ON ONE SIDE OF THE BODY, AND TROUBLE WALKING OR TALKING. SOMETIMES PATIENTS ALSO EXPERIENCE BLURRED VISION OR A TERRIBLE HEADACHE. DOCTORS SAY THAT PEOPLE WITH THESE SYMPTOMS SHOULD SEEK TREATMENT IMMEDIATELY BECAUSE IT COULD BE A SIGN OF A MAJOR STROKE TO COME. PATIENTS WHO HAVE SUFFERED MINI STROKES ARE AT HIGHER RISK FOR A SUBSEQUENT STROKE, SMALL AND LARGE. HOWEVER, DRUG TREATMENTS SUCH AS ASPIRIN CAN SUBSTANTIALLY REDUCE THESE RISKS.

LENGTH-00:24 · ISSUE-EDUCATION 10 SHOW TIME-5:30

200 NEW TEACHERS WILL UNDERGO ORIENTATION IN BRADENTON NEXT WEEK.

MANATEE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT LEADERS SAY THAT'S ABOUT HALF THE NUMBER FROM LAST YEAR. SCHOOL OFFICIALS BLAME A DECREASE IN GROWTH IN THE AREA FOR THE DECREASE IN NEW TEACHERS NEEDED. LAST YEAR, 400 NEW TEACHERS TOOK PART IN THE WEEKLONG ORIENTATION THAT INTRODUCES TEACHERS TO THE SCHOOL SYSTEM. IN THE MEANTIME: 167-NEW TEACHERS WILL JOIN THE RANKS IN SARASOTA COUNTY THIS YEAR.

LENGTH-00:36 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

THE MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS INVESTIGATING A SHOOTING WHERE A GUNMAN SHOT AT A CAR LATE LAST NIGHT. IT HAPPENED IN THE SOUTHERN ENTRANCE OF THE ONECO PLAZA IN THE 1400 BLOCK OF 53RD AVENUE EAST IN BRADENTON. TWO INDIVIDUALS WERE PULLING OUT OF A CAR WHEN A WHITE CAR WITH TINTED WINDOWS PULLED UP TO THEIR CAR. THE VICTIMS SAY A MAN EXITED THE CAR AND POINTED A GUN AT THE VICTIMS FIRING SEVERAL ROUNDS AT THEIR CAR. THEY WERE NOT HURT AND MANAGED TO LEAVE THE SCENE. DEPUTIES SAY NO CASINGS WERE FOUND AT THE SCENE. THE SUSPECT HAS NOT BEEN LOCATED.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-6:00

SARASOTA COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARE RIGHT NOW INVESTIGATING THE DEATHS OF TWO ELDERLY RESIDENTS. DEPUTIES FOUND AN OLDER MAN AND WOMAN DEAD INSIDE A RESIDENCE ON SARASOTA'S MISTY CREEK DRIVE. THE MEDICAL EXAMINER'S OFFICE IS TRYING TO DETERMINE THE CAUSE OF DEATH. THE VICTIMS' IDENTITIES ARE NOT BEING RELEASED UNTIL THEIR FAMILY CAN BE NOTIFIED.

JULY 3, 2007

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

STATE POLICE HAVE RAIDED ANOTHER MARIJUANA GROW HOUSE. THIS TIME IN LEE COUNTY. WORKING ON A TIP, STATE TROOPERS RAIDED THE HOUSE IN THE 2900 BLOCK OF 3RD STREET IN ALVA. INSIDE, AUTHORITIES FOUND AN IN-HOUSE GARDEN, GROWING AN ESTIMATED 87-THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF MARIJUANA. THEY ARRESTED ONE PERSON WHO'S BEEN CHARGED WITH CULTIVATION AND TRAFFICKING IN MARIJUANA.

LENGTH-01:33 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THIS IS THE LAST PICTURE OF 9 YEAR OLD MITJA TAKEN BY A SURVEILLANCE CAMERA. THE BOY IS SMILING, SITTING NEXT TO THE MAN WHO LATER ALLEGEDLY RAPED AND KILLED HIM. MITJA'S BODY WAS FOUND IN THIS SHACK IN LEIPZIG, GERMANY. THE ALLEGED KILLER IS IN CUSTODY, AFTER HE WAS SEVERELY INJURED THROWING HIMSELF IN FRONT OF A TRAM CAR. HE IS IN JAIL AND REFUSING TO TALK TO AUTHORITIES. THE CASE SENT SHOCKWAVES ACROSS GERMANY. AND THIS MAN SAYS HE HAS THE POTENTIAL TO DO THE SAME. HE WON'T REVEAL HIS IDENTITY. WE CALL HIM MANFRED - AN ADMITTED PEDOPHILE FOR THE PAST 40 YEARS. NOW MANFRED HAS FOUND HELP IN A ONE OF A KIND COUNSELING PROJECT AT BERLIN'S CHARIT CLINIC. A PROJECT THAT COULDN'T BE MORE CONTROVERSIAL THAT'S BECAUSE IT SEEKS TO HELP THE POTENTIAL MOLESTERS RATHER THAN THE VICTIMS. PROJECT COMMERCIAL: MAN IS ON SUBWAY, BOY COMES IN AND MAN IS AROUSED. MORE THAN 500 MEN CALLED IN FOR COUNSELING AFTER SEEING THIS TV AD. A MAN ON A SUBWAY CAR SEES A BOY GETS AROUSED AND IS CLEARLY AFRAID OF HIS EMOTIONS. ITS MESSAGE TO POTENTIAL PEDOPHILES? --- "DON'T BECOME A PERPETRATOR" THAT WARNING -- COUNSELORS SAY -- IS ALL THEY CAN REALISTICALLY DO TO HELP STOP CHILD MOLESTERS. "THE MAIN GOAL IS FOR THEM TO BE ABLE TO CONTROL THEIR IMPULSES AND THEIR BEHAVIOR. AN IMPORTANT PART IN THE BEGINNING IS FOR THEM TO COME TO TERMS WITH THEIR SEXUALITY. " UP TO TWO PERCENT OF GERMAN MALES HAVE PEDOPHILIC TENDENCIES, SCHAEFER SAYS, AND HE SAYS PEOPLE NOT JUST IN GERMANY WILL HAVE TO ACCEPT THAT PEDOPHILES ARE LIVING AMONGST THEM. THAT THESE ARE MEN AND WOMEN WITH A MEDICAL CONDITION NOT PLAIN PERVERTS. "THERE ARE MANY PEDOPHILES THAT NEVER CAUSE ANY HARM TO ANY CHILD. STIGMATIZING THEM AS CRIMINALS, PERVERTS OR WHATEVER IS COMPLETELY WRONG, AND WON'T WORK, WON'T HELP ANYONE." MANFRED SAYS THE COUNSELING IS HELPING HIM DEAL WITH HIS SEXUAL FANTASIES AND COME TO TERMS WITH THEM. IN MANY WAYS, HE SAYS, THE PROJECT SAVED HIS LIFE AND MAYBE ALSO THE LIFE OF ANOTHER CHILD .

LENGTH-00:34 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

LAWRENCE BURKE AND PAULINE WORDELL WERE SWIMMING IN THE PEACE RIVER YESTERDAY WHEN THEY SAW THE SUITCASE FLOATING. THEY DRAGGED THE HEAVY BAG TO THE BANKS. UNZIPPED IT AND A FOOT POPPED OUT. DESOTO COUNTY SHERIFF VERNON KEEN SAYS IT WAS THE REMAINS OF A WHITE WOMAN. NOW THEY ARE TRYING TO DETERMINE WHO SHE IS. SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES HAVE ALREADY SEARCHED THEIR MISSING PERSON'S FILE. THEY ARE ASKING LAW ENFORCEMENT FROM SURROUNDING COUNTIES TO DO THE SAME. BURKE SAYS IT SEEMS.. WHO EVER DUMPED THE BODY DIDN'T WANT IT TO BE FOUND. THEY TRIED TO MAKE THE BAG SINK. "IT WAS ONE OF THOSE LARGE WHEEL AIRPORT LIKE DUFFLE BAGS PROBLEM 3 TO 4 FEET HIGH. " "THERE WAS A LARGE CONCRETE BLOCK IN THERE TO THAT HAD TO WEIGH 40 LBS. " "I WAS LIKE OH MY GOD I CAN'T BELIEVE WE ARE SEEING THIS."

LENGTH-00:11 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A WISCONSIN JUDGE HAS SENTENCED A 16-YEAR-OLD TO LIFE IN PRISON WITH THE POSSIBILITY OF PAROLE FOR THE SHOOTING DEATH OF HIS HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL. ERIC HAINSTOCK HAS BEEN CONVICTED OF FIRST-DEGREE MURDER. HE'LL BE ELIGIBLE FOR PAROLE IN 30 YEARS.

LENGTH-00:54 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

RUNNING ON A HOT SUMMER DAY CAN LEAD TO TROUBLE FOR EVEN THE MOST SEASONED ATHLETE. GETTING RID OF HEAT WHEN YOU RUN IS A VERY DIFFICULT PROCESS FOR THE BODY TO DO, PARTICULARLY WHEN YOU'RE DEALING WITH HOT AND HUMID CONDITIONS. AS THE SUMMER HEAT RISES, SO DOES THE BODY TEMPERATURE, INCREASING THE RISK FOR HEAT-RELATED INJURIES. IF YOU'RE RUNNING AND YOU BEGIN TO FEEL A LITTLE CONFUSED, YOUR MIND IS NOT WORKING AS SHARP AS IT SHOULD BE, IF PARADOXICALLY YOU BEGIN TO BECOME CHILLED, IF YOU FEEL A LITTLE NAUSEATED AND QUEASY IN THE STOMACH, THESE ARE INDICATIONS THAT YOU MIGHT BECOME OVERHEATED. DR. WILSON SAYS THAT'S WHEN YOU SHOULD STOP RUNNING AND INSTEAD WALK. WE THINK WALKING IS BETTER THAN SITTING AND LAYING DOWN. WE THINK TAKING FLUIDS IS VERY HELPFUL, GETTING OUT OF THE SUN, INTO THE SHADE. DRINKING PLENTY OF WATER BEFORE, DURING AND AFTER THE WORKOUT WILL HELP YOU STAY HYDRATED. IT'S ALSO RECOMMENDED YOU SPEND A FEW WEEKS TRAINING AT A SLOWER PACE, TO HELP YOUR BODY ACCLIMATE TO THE HOT WEATHER.

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

SUMMERTIME CAN BE A FEAST FOR GERMS... ESPECIALLY FOR CHILDREN, EASILY PASSING ON COLDS AND COUGHS WHILE THEY PLAY. THAT'S WHY IT'S IMPORTANT TO KNOW WHEN TO USE ANTIBIOTICS. THE DRUGS SHOULD BE USED TO FIGHT BACTERIAL INFECTIONS...NOT INFECTIONS CAUSED BY A VIRUS... LIKE MOST COLDS AND FLUS. HERE ARE SOME GUIDELINES FOR WHEN ANTIBIOTICS MAY BE NEEDED: LONGSTANDING BRONCHITIS OR COUGHS THAT COULD BE BACTERIAL INFECTIONS... STREP THROAT... EAR INFECTIONS CAUSED BY BACTERIA....ALSO THE COMMON SINUS INFECTION, IS USUALLY BACTERIA AND IS EASILY TREATED WITH ANTIBIOTICS. AS ALWAYS, YOU SHOULD CHECK WITH YOUR DOCTOR TO DECIDE IF AN ANTIBIOTIC IS NEEDED.

LENGTH-01:45 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

IT'S HAPPENED AGAIN....AN OFFICER OF THE LAW BEHAVING INAPPROPRIATELY THIS TIME INSIDE THE SARASOTA COUNTY JAIL...."SHE DOESN'T HAVE ANY REASON TO LIE ABOUT ANOTHER OFFICER." DENISE PITTMAN SAYS HER DAUGHTER IS THE VICTIM OF SEXUAL HARRASSMENT BY A CORRECTIONS SARGEANT...17 YEAR OLD LATOYA SCURRY SAYS SEARGEANT DINO CHARTERS WATCHED HER SHOWER AND BEHAVED INAPPROPRIATELY...IN A LETTER TO CHARTERS' BOSS SHE SAYS "ONE TIME HE TOOK

ME TO THE SIXTH FLOOR TO SHOWER AND HE ASKED ME IF I WOULD GIVE HIM ORAL SEX WHILE I USED THE PHONE IN HIS OFFICE""SHE WAS VERY SCARED AT FIRST TO TELL ANYBODY BECAUSE SHE DIDN'T KNOW IF THEY WOULD BELIEVE HER" SCURRY IS IN THE SARASOTA COUNTY JAIL FOR MANSLAUGHTER... SHE PLEADED GUILTY TO THE CHARGE EARLIER THIS WEEK.. BUT DEFENSE ATTORNEY COLLEEN GLENN SAYS NO ONE DESERVES TO BE SEXUALLY HARASSED.. I WANT CRIMINAL CHARGES PRESSED AGAINST HIM. JUST BECAUSE HE'S AN EMPLOYEE OF THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE OR A FORMER EMPLOYEE OF THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE IN NO WAY MEANS HE SHOULDN'T BE PROSECUTED" THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE SAYS IT'S LOOKING INTO IT... WE TRIED TALKING TO CHARTERS ABOUT THE ACCUSATIONS BUT DIDN'T GET FAR..."NO WE HAVE NO COMMENT. JUST DIG DEEP..." SO WE DID. A QUICK LOOK THROUGH CHARTERS PERSONNEL FILE REVEALED HE'S BEEN IN TROUBLE BEFORE... IN DECEMBER OF 2004...CHARTERS WAS SUSPENDED FOR 3 DAYS WITHOUT PAY FOR HAVING A RELATIONSHIP WITH A FORMER INMATE... ACCORDING TO AN INTERNAL MEMORANDUM CHARTERS TOLD SCURRY "WE COULD HAVE A GOOD TIME TOGETHER, YOU JUST HAVE TO SAY SOMETHING SO I KNOW IT'S OK TO COME IN THERE BECAUSE I DON'T WANT ANY TROUBLE, I HAVE BEEN IN TROUBLE IN THE PAST""MY HANDS ARE TIED. I CAN'T DO NOTHING FOR HER IN THERE BECAUSE I CAN'T TOUCH HER. I JUST WANT TO GIVE HER A HUG AND SAY THAT I LOVE YOU. I'M HERE FOR YOU."

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A MAN FLEEING FROM AUTHORITIES IN A HIGH SPEED CHASE, DECIDED TO TAKE A BREAK FROM ALL THE ACTION. THAT'S WHEN HE WAS BUSTED. THE 28 YEAR OLD WAS BEING CHASED IN A STOLEN CAR. WHEN THE CAR RAN OUT OF GAS, THE SUSPECT DIDN'T RUN. INSTEAD HE LIT A CIGARETTE AND MADE A CALL ON HIS CELL PHONE. HE TOLD A LOCAL TV STATION HE WAS SUICIDAL AND ARMED WITH A GUN. POLICE CAUGHT UP WITH HIM AND USED A STUN GUN TO SUBDUE HIM. CHARGES ARE PENDING.

AUGUST 4, 2007

LENGTH-00:40 ISSUEE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-LATE

AND AN ELDERLY FLORIDA WOMAN IS IN SERIOUS BUT STABLE CONDITION TONIGHT AFTER A HIT AND RUN DRIVER RUNS HER DOWN. POLICE SAY 66-YEAR-OLD ADELA ZE-BALLOS WAS HIT LATE LAST NIGHT AT THE INTERSECTION OF SOUTHWEST 109TH AVENUE AND FLAGLER STREET IN SWEETWATER. POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR THE DRIVER.THEY DON'T HAVE ANY DESCRIPTION OF THE MAN OR VEHICLE AND ARE COUNTING ON WITNESSES TO STEP FORWARD. "REALLY SAD THAT PEOPLE OUT THERE DON'T HAVE THE HEART TO STOP, KNOWING THAT THEY HIT SOMEONE-SOMEONE THAT IS SOMEBODY'S MOM, SOMEBODY'S SISTER." PARAMEDICS AIRLIFTED THE WOMAN TO JACKSON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

AUGUST 5, 2007

LENGTH-00:41 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

A 23-YEAR-OLD PINELLAS COUNTY MAN IS IN BEING HELD WITHOUT BOND... IN THE HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY JAIL. HE'S CHARGED WITH MURDERING HIS GIRLFRIEND. MATTHEW ROBERT DIET - ERLE WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY YESTERDAY WHEN HE STEPPED OFF A FLIGHT ...ARRIVING AT TAMPA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT FROM BALTIMORE. THE BODY OF 19-YEAR-OLD SAMANTHA MACQUILLIAM WAS DISCOVERED THURSDAYIN THE BATHTUB ...OF THE PALM HARBOR RESIDENCE SHE SHARED WITH DIETERLE. INVESTIGATORS SAY SHE HAD BEEN STABBED, STRANGLED AND BEATEN. THEY SAY THEY FOUND DIETERLE'S BLOODY PALM PRINT ...ON THE RIM OF THE TUB. THE SUSPECT ALLEGEDLY LEFT TOWN IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE MURDER ...AND DROVE TO HIS PARENTS' HOME IN MARYLAND.

AUGUST 6, 2007

LENGTH-00:56 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THERE ARE MORE THAN 700 CALORIES IN THIS BEEF BURRITO... 420 IN A MOCHA FRAPPUCCINO... AND 320 IN THIS ROAST BEEF SANDWICH. COUNTING CALORIES IS ENOUGH TO RUIN YOUR APPETITE. BUT AUTHOR CHARLES STUART PLATKIN TRACKED DOWN THE INFORMATION FOR 75-HUNDRED DIFFERENT BRAND NAME FOODS AND LEARNED A VALUABLE LESSON. THINK BEFORE YOU EAT AND REALLY UNDERSTAND THE VALUE OF WHAT YOU CONSUME. PLATKIN CALLS HIMSELF THE DIET DETECTIVE. ALONG WITH CALORIES, HE'S CALCULATED HOW MUCH EXERCISE YOU'D NEED TO WORK OFF SPECIFIC DIETARY INDULGENCES. FOR SOME PEOPLE, SPLURGING ON THAT ICE CREAM SUNDAE MIGHT BE WORTH THAT SIX HOUR WALK. FOR SOME, IT MIGHT NOT BE. REMEMBER THE WOMAN ENJOYING THE FRAPPUCCINO? PLATKIN'S BOOK CLAIMS IT WOULD TAKE HIM 108 MINUTES OF WALKING OR 45 MINUTES OF RUNNING TO BURN THE CALORIES. IT'S VERY GOOD, BUT IT'S NOT THAT GOOD. ACCORDING TO PLATKIN, THIS ROAST BEEF SANDWICH WILL REQUIRE 82 MINUTES OF WALKING AND 34 MINUTES OF RUNNING. IT TELLS ME I EITHER NEED TO DO SOMETHING MORE VIGOROUS OR WATCH WHAT I EAT A LITTLE BIT MORE. THE VERY POINT THAT PLATKIN IS TRYING MAKE.

LENGTH-01:17 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE GOVERNMENT'S CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION HAS NEGOTIATED MAJOR RECALLS THIS SUMMER INCLUDING MORE THAN THREE MILLION CHINESE-MADE FISHER PRICE, AND THOMAS THE TRAIN TOYS: TOO MUCH LEAD. THERE ARE A LOT OF UNSUSPECTING PEOPLE BUYING PRODUCTS TODAY THAT ARE DANGEROUS FOR AMERICAN FAMILIES. ILLINOIS SENATOR RICHARD DURBIN BELIEVES THE C-P-S-C

DOESN'T HAVE THE BUDGET OR AUTHORITY IT NEEDS TO PROTECT CONSUMERS. IN TERMS OF EFFORT I WILL GIVE THEM A HIGH GRADE BUT IN TERMS OF PERFORMANCE I'M AFRAID ITS A FAILING GRADE C-P-S-C COMMISSIONER THOMAS MOORE SAYS BUDGET CUTS ARE CAUSING EMPLOYEES TO LOOK FOR OTHER JOBS BECAUSE " THEY HAVE NO CONFIDENCE THE AGENCY WILL CONTINUE TO EXIST OR WILL EXIST IN ANY MEANINGFUL FORM. " CONSUMERS SHOULD NOT PANIC, BUT THEY SHOULD BE WARY RACHAEL WEINTRAUB IS WITH THE CONSUMER FEDERATION OF AMERICA. THE BUDGET OF THE C-P-S-C WAS ESSENTIALLY DECIMATED IN THE EARLY 1980S AND THE COMMISSION HAS REALLY NEVER GOTTEN BACK TO WHAT IT WAS BEFORE THAT TIME. AND SINCE THAT TIME, FOREIGN IMPORTS HAVE SOARED, PARTICULARLY FROM CHINA. THE C-P-S-C- HAS BEEN SENDING TECHNICAL STAFF TO CHINA, MEETING WITH MANUFACTURERS, EDUCATING THEM, LETTING THEM KNOW THAT THE C-P-S-C AND THE U.S. MARKETPLACE HAS LAWS, HAS RULES, HAS REGULATIONS BUT THE AGENCY STILL OPERATES WITH SIGNIFICANT IMPEDIMENTS. IT IS SUPPOSED TO HAVE THREE COMMISSIONERS BUT HAS ONLY TWO. IT TOOK A CONGRESSIONAL ACT LAST WEEK TO ALLOW THE CPSC PERFORM MANY OF ITS FUNCTIONS WITH TWO COMMISSIONERS...BUT ONLY UNTIL NEXT JANUARY. THE AGENCY HAS ASKED FOR MORE POWER AND MORE MONEY. IN THE MEANTIME I WOULD SAY AMERICANS NEED TO BE ON HEIGHTENED ALERT.

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

MANATEE COUNTY DEPUTIES ARE LOOKING FOR TWO MEN AFTER AN ATTEMPTED ARMED ROBBERY AT A BRADENTON RESTUARANT FORMERLY KNOWN AS 'CHA CHA'S'. ONE OF THE SUSPECTS GRABBED A WOMAN BY HER HAIR AND DEMANDED MONEY FROM THE CASH REGISTER. THE TWO SUSPECTS RAN OUT BEFORE GETTING ANY MONEY. THERE WERE NO INJURIES. THE MEN LEFT IN A SMALL WHITE FOUR DOOR VEHICLE.

LENTH-00:44 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

37 YEAR OLD DEANNA RAMONO LIVES AT THE HOUSE... DEPUTIES SAY SHE WOULDN'T ANSWER THE DOOR AT FIRST... SO THEY WENT AROUND BACK... THEY SAY THEY SAW SO MANY FLIES THEY STOPPED COUNTING AT TWENTY. RAMONO EVENTUALLY ANSWERED THE DOOR... AND LET DEPUTIES COME IN AND TAKE A LOOK AROUND. THEY SAY THERE WERE ANIMAL FECES EVERYWHERE...AND THE BACK BEDROOM WAS LOCKED. RAMONO OPENED IT... AND THAT'S WHEN DEPUTIES SAW THE MUMMIFIED REMAINS OF TWO PUG DOGS. DEPUTIES SAY THERE WERE CLAW MARKS IN THE CARPET... AND ON THE DOOR WHERE THE DOGS HAD TRIED TO ESCAPE. DEPUTIES SAY RAMONO TOLD THEM SHE HAD KEPT THEM CONFINED IN THE ROOM.... COMPLETLEY IGNORING THEM... FOR AT LEAST TWO MONTHS BECAUSE SHE WORKED TOO MUCH TO CARE FOR THEM. SHE WAS ASKED IF THE DOGS BARKING HAD EVER GOT TO HER.. AND DEPUTIES SAY SHE SAID NO, BECAUSE SHE WORKS SO MUCH. SHE WAS ASKED IF THE NOW VERY FOUL ODOR IN HER HOUSE BOTHERED HER, AND DEPUTIES SAY SHE TOLD THEM SHE WAS GOING TO HAVE IT CLEANED THIS WEEKEND.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A BROWARD COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTY IS IN CRITICAL CONDITION. HE WAS SHOT BY A MAN ON A MOTORCYCLE HE TRIED TO PULL OVER. THE DEPUTY WAS SHOT ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF HIS HEAD...HE'S NOW ON A VENTILATOR. THE PLAINCLOTHES DEPUTY WAS ON HIS WAY BACK TO WORK WHEN HE STOPPED THE MAN JUST BEFORE NOON IN HOLLYWOOD, BUT THE SUSPECT TOOK OFF RUNNING THEN TURNED AROUND AND SHOT THE DEPUTY. THE SUSPECT, WAS ARRESTED MOMENTS AFTER THE SHOOTING AT A NEARBY CONDOMINIUM.

LENGTH-00:40 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

A SECOND MAN WANTED IN THE MURDER OF A SARASOTA WOMAN REMAINS ON THE LOOSE TONIGHT. DETECTIVES ARE LOOKING FOR 27-YEAR OLD ADAM NARDUCCI.. THEY THINK HE LEFT THE SARASOTA AREA IN MARLYS WELP'S 1997 RED CHRYSLER SEBRING CONVERTIBLE. THE CAR'S FLORIDA TAG NUMBER IS V-8-0 Q-W-D. DETECTIVES SAY NARDUCCI IS ARMED AND DANGEROUS. IF YOU HAVE INFORMATION ON HIS WHEREABOUTS CALL SARASOTA COUNTY CRIMESTOPPERS AT 366-TIPS OVER THE WEEKEND DETECTIVES ARRESTED SCOTT HAAS. HE'S CHARGED WITH MURDERING WELP. HER BODY WAS FOUND STUFFED IN A SUITCASE AND FLOATING IN THE PEACE RIVER LAST WEEK. INVESTIGATORS SAY HAAS CONFESSED TO SUFFOCATING HER. THE TWO WERE ROOM MATES AND APPARENTLY GOT INTO AN ARGUMENT AFTER WELP REFUSED TO MOVE OUT.

AUGUST 7, 2007

LENGTH-00:23 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A NEW ANTI-AIDS DRUG HAS WON F-D-A APPROVAL AND THE DRUG'S MAKER, PFIZER, SAYS IT WILL BE AVAILABLE NEXT MONTH. THE F-D-A APPROVED THE DRUG TO HELP PATIENTS WITH THE AIDS VIRUS WHO ARE RUNNING OUT OF OPTIONS. THE DRUG, SELZENTRY, IS THE FIRST NEW CLASS OF HIV MEDICINES SINCE 2003. THE F-D-A STRESSED THAT THE DRUG IS NOT FOR THE NEWLY DIAGNOSED, BUT ONLY FOR PATIENTS WHOSE VIRUS IS FAST BECOMING RESISTANT TO TODAY'S HIV DRUGS. PFIZER WILL BE CONDUCTING FURTHER RESEARCH ON THE DRUG TO LOOK AT LONG TERM EFFECTS.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A NEW STUDY SUGGESTS WOMEN WHO ARE OBESE BEFORE THEIR PREGNANCY FACE A HIGHER RISK OF HAVING BABIES WITH BIRTH DEFECTS. THE STUDY FOLLOWED NEARLY 15,000 WOMEN. THE LEAD AUTHOR SAYS ABOUT FOUR PERCENT OF WOMEN

WHO ARE OBESE BEFORE PREGNANCY WILL HAVE BABIES WITH MAJOR BIRTH DEFECTS, VERSUS THREE PERCENT OF THEIR SLIMMER COUNTERPARTS. THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS RESEARCHERS SAYS THIS DOESN'T MEAN OBESE WOMEN SHOULD PANIC, BECAUSE THE CHANCE OF BIRTH DEFECTS IS STILL LOW AND SCIENTISTS STILL AREN'T SURE WHAT CAUSES A MAJORITY OF THEM. BUT SHE SAYS IT'S ANOTHER REASON FOR WOMEN TO MAINTAIN A HEALTHY WEIGHT.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

NEED A PRESCRIPTION? WHY NOT SAVE SOME MONEY AND GET IT FOR FREE? PRESCRIPTIONS FOR FREE... WELL AT LEAST SOME OF THEM ARE AT PUBLIX SUPERMARKETS. THE MEGA CHAIN WILL OFFER SEVEN POPULAR ANTIBIOTICS FOR FREE. THAT INCLUDES AMOXICILIN AND PENICILLIN.. PATIENTS WILL BE ABLE TO GET THE DRUGS FOR FREE WITH A PRESCRIPTION FROM THEIR DOCTOR. AND PUBLIX WILL NOT LIMIT THE NUMBER CUSTOMERS MAY FILL FOR FREE. ALL 684 OF THE CHAIN'S PHARMACIES WILL TAKE PART.

LENGTH-00:55 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME—5:00

RECENT RESEARCH SHOWS THAT WHILE AFRICAN-AMERICAN WOMEN ARE LESS LIKELY TO GET BREAST CANCER THAN CAUCASIAN WOMEN, THEY ARE MORE LIKELY TO DIE FROM IT. SOCIO-ECONOMIC FACTORS SUCH AS THE COST OF TREATMENT AND A LACK OF ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE CAN CONTRIBUTE TO A DELAY IN DIAGNOSIS, WHICH PARTIALLY EXPLAINS THE POORER PROGNOSIS BUT RESEARCHERS ARE ALSO FINDING SOME BIOLOGICAL DIFFERENCES IN AFRICAN AMERICANS WITH THE DISEASE. IN ONE STUDY, DOCTORS FOUND THAT 21 PERCENT OF AFRICAN AMERICAN WOMEN WITH BREAST CANCER HAD A MORE AGGRESSIVE TYPE OF TUMOR... COMPARED TO 10 PERCENT OF CAUCASIANS SOT DR GLORIA MORRIS/KIMMEL CANCER CENTER AT JEFFERSON 'THESE BREAST CANERS ARE MORE DIFFICULT TO TREAT, LESS RESPONSIVE TO CHEMOTHERAPY AND MAY BE MORE LIKELY TO RETURN." RESEARCHERS ALSO NOTE THAT FEW AFRICAN AMERICAN WOMEN PARTICIPATE N CLINICAL STUDIES SOT DR RAMONA SWAB FOX CHASE CANCER CENTER "HISTORICALLY LESS THAN 10% OF PEOPLE THAT ENROLL IN CLINICAL TRAILS ARE AFRICAN AMERICAN, SO IF THERE ARE ANY DIFFERENCES, We're JUST NOT ABLE TO TEASE THAT OUT." DOCTORS ARE ENCOURAGING MORE AFRICAN-AMERICAN WOMEN TO TAKE PART IN RESEARCH EFFORTS, AND GET TESTED FOR BREAST CANCER EARLY

AUGUST 8, 2007

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

AN AWARD CEREMONY TODAY FOR THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ARREST OF THE SO CALLED "BAND AID" BANDIT. THE BAND AID BANDIT, OR RALPH RONDON, ALONG WITH HIS BROTHER IN LAW WERE CONVICTED OF ROBBING DOZENS OF BANKS FROM SARASOTA TO GAINESVILLE. THEY WERE BROUGHT TO JUSTICE BECAUSE OF EYEWITNESS ACCOUNTS WHICH LED TO THEIR ARREST AND CONVICTION. TODAY THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT ALONG WITH THE FLORIDA BANKERS ASSOCIATION ARE HOSTING AN AWARD CEREMONY TO HONOR THE BUSINESS OWNER AND OTHERS WHO HELPED CAPTURE THE SERIAL BANK ROBBER.

LENGTH-00:57 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

A JOLT OF JAVA MAY BE GIVING YOU MORE THAN JUST A KICKSTART IN THE MORNING. IT MAY KEEP YOU SHARP INTO YOUR OLD AGE.. WE HAVE ALWAYS SEEN CAFFEINE AS SORT OF A BAD GUY BUT THIS STUDY SEEMS TO SUGGEST THAT IT MAY HAVE SOME BENEFITS FOR WOMEN OVER 65, DRINKING AN EXTRA CUP OF JOE MAY PROTECT THINKING AND MEMORY SKILLS. THAT'S ACCORDING TO A NEW STUDY PUBLISHED THIS WEEK IN THE JOURNAL NEUROLOGY. CAFFEINE IS KNOWN TO BE A STIMULANT. IT CAN ALSO HELP PEOPLE FOCUS THEIR ATTENTION BETTER ON A TASK AND THAT MIGHT BE TIED INTO HELP THEM PRESERVE THE MEMORY. THE STUDY FOUND WOMEN WHO DRANK MORE THAN THREE CUPS OF COFFEE, OR TEA PER DAY HAD LESS DECLINE IN MEMORY TEST PERFORMANCE OVER TIME. BUT DOCTORS WARN PEOPLE..ESPECIALLY THE ELDERLY.. NOT TO RUSH OUT AND START DRINKING LOTS OF COFFEE. ROUGHLY " MEDICATIONS THAT ARE CONTROLLING HEART HEALTH, BLOOD PRESSURE// DON'T ALWAYS MESH WELL WITH CAFFEINE SO PEOPLE SHOULD BE VERY CAUTIONS ABOUT ADDING CAFFEINE TO THEIR DIETS ONE INTERESTING NOTE? CAFFEINE'S MIND-PRESERVING EFFECTS WERE NOT SEEN IN MEN. RESEARCHERS SAY IT MAY HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH HORMONES.. APPARENTLY CAFFEINE IS METABOLIZED DIFFERENTLY WHETHER YOU'RE FROM MARS OR VENUS

AUGUST 9, 2007

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

WE BEGIN OUR NEWS THIS MORNING WITH VIOLENCE IN SARASOTA. ONE MAN IS UNDERGOING HOSPITAL TREATMENT THIS MORNING AFTER HE WAS APPARENTLY SHOT IN THE STOMACH. DEPUTIES AREN'T SAYING MUCH ABOUT THE INCIDENT BUT HERE'S WHAT WE KNOW. THE MALE VICTIM WALKED UP TO A POLICE CAR JUST AFTER

MIDNIGHT AT U-S 301 AND MYRTLE STREETS. THE VICTIM TOLD POLICE HE HAD BEEN SHOT IN THE STOMACH. HE WAS RUSHED TO A LOCAL HOSPITAL, HOWEVER WE DON'T KNOW HIS PRESENT CONDITION. ALSO, ,AS FAR AS WE KNOW, DEPUTIES ARE STILL SEARCHING FOR SUSPECTS.

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MEANTIME, MANATEE COUNTY AUTHORITIES ARE INVESTIGATING WHAT APPEARS TO BE A GANG RELATED SHOOTING IN BRADENTON. IT HAPPENED JUST BEFORE EIGHT O'CLOCK LAST NIGHT AT THE INTERSECTION OF 20TH STREET AND 15TH AVENUE EAST. THE MAN WAS SHOT IN THE NECK. HE'S UNDERGOING HOSPITAL TREATMENT. WE DON'T KNOW HIS CONDITION THIS MORNING. ACCORDING TO ONE REPORT, POLICE ARE QUESTIONING A MALE SUSPECT IN HIS LATE TEENS IN CONNECTION WITH THE SHOOTING.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

IN MANATEE COUNTY, DEPUTIES ARE INVESTIGATING THE BEATING AND ROBBING OF A PIZZA DELIVERY MAN. ACCORDING TO INVESTIGATORS , IT HAPPENED IN THE 300 BLOCK OF 58TH AVENUE DRIVE EAST JUST BEFORE ELEVEN O 'CLOCK LAST NIGHT. THE VICTIM HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS 60-YEAR OLD DONALD SPANN. HE TELLS DEPUTIES HE WAS BEATEN BY A MALE SUSPECT WHO APPROACHED HIM AS HE GOT OF OF HIS DELIVERY CAR. THE MALE SUSPECT WALKED AWAY WITH THE PIZZA AS WELL AS THE DELIVERY MAN'S MONEY. DEPUTIES ARE INVESTIGATING.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A FEDERAL APPEALS COURT SAYS TERMINALLY ILL PATIENTS HAVE NO CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT TO EXPERIMENTAL DRUGS, EVEN IF THE DRUG ISN'T LIKELY TO GET FDA APPROVAL BEFORE THEY DIE. A PATIENTS' RIGHTS GROUPS AND THE WASHINGTON LEGAL FOUNDATION SUED THE FDA BACK IN 2003, FOR ACCESS TO EXPERIMENTAL DRUGS. BUT THE APPEALS COURT DETERMINED USE OF THE EXPERIMENTAL DRUGS COULD ACTUALLY BE UNSAFE AND DEATHLY. THE GROUP IS PLEDGING TO APPEAL TO THE U-S SUPREME COURT.

LENGTH-01:39 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

AS CHINA RAMPS UP SECURITY AHEAD OF NEXT YEAR'S GAMES. . THERE IS ANOTHER LOOMING THREAT PERHAPS EVERY BIT AS REAL AS AN AL QAEDA ATTACK. . . FOOD!..... AND HOW TO MAKE IT SAFE IS ONE OF THE BIGGEST CHALLENGES FOR

BEIJING'S OLYMPIC OFFICIALS. A NEW NEW SYSTEM TO MONITOR ALL FOOD IS BEING TESTED THIS MONTH... TRACKING FROM PRODUCTION TO PROCESSING, PACKAGING, STORING AND THEN TRANSPORTATION. . . ALL STORED ON A DATA BASE, SO ANY PROBLEM CAN BE TRACED BACK TO ITS SOURCE. 'WE HAVE DONE THIS FOR A LONG TIME ALREADY, THIS IS JUST STRENGTHENING OF THE PROCESS TO MAKE SURE.' A MASSIVE JOB...FOR TWO WEEKS THE SYSTEM WILL KEEP TABS ON ALMOST 20 THOUSAND GALLONS OF MILK, MANY MANY TONS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES, SEAFOOD AND MEAT . . THAT'S JUST FOR THE ATHLETES, COACHES AND OFFICIALS. BUT WHAT ABOUT THE HALF A MILLION FOREIGN TOURISTS EXPECTED IN BEIJING FOR THE GAMES . . NATSOT: REBECCA MAYHORN - TOURIST FROM HOUSTON I'M TRYING TO ENSURE THAT WE ARE EATING SPARESLY BECAUSE WE DON'T WANT TO GET OURSELVES IN TROUBLE. REBECCA MAYHORN AND THIS TOUR GROUP FROM TEXAS IS ENJOYING THE SITES, LIKE THE SPRAWLING FORBIDDEN CITY . . AND PART OF THE ADVENTURE SHE SAYS IS DINING OUT ON REAL CHINESE FOOD. 'ACTUALLY IT'S WONDERFUL. LUNCH IS VERY DELICIOUS. THE VEGETABLE IS VERY GOOD, THE EGG PLANT IS SPECTACULAR I'M ABOUT TO DO THE CHICKEN . . ' BUT SOMETIMES WHAT'S ON A MENU IN A BEIJING RESTAURANT - YOU WOULD NEVER FIND IN THE US. JOHN VAUSE STAND UP 'TRY THE SHRIMP? BE CAREFUL BECAUSE THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION BANNED ITS IMPORT BECAUSE OF TRACES OF CANCER CAUSING CHEMICALS, SO TOO EEL AND CAT FISH . . . THINK TWICE ABOUT THAT SOY SAUCE . . ONE MANUFACTURER WAS CAUGHT USING HUMAN HAIR AS AN INGREDIENT A FEW YEARS AGO . . AND THEN THERE IS THE PORK .. IN THE PAST SOME PIGS HAVE BEEN FORCE FED WASTE WATER, WHILE THERE ARE CONCERNS THAT OTHERS WITH BLUE EAR DISEASE WERE SLAUGHTERED AND SOLD. . . MAKES YOU WANT TO WIPE YOUR HANDS OF IT ALL. . BUT LOOK OUT FOR THAT MOIST NAPKIN . . . A FEW YEARS AGO, IT WAS REVEALED SOME WERE MADE FROM RECYCLED HOSPITAL WASTE.' BUT BEIJING OFFICIALS ARE REASSURING ATHLETES AND TOURISTS ALIKE A YEAR FROM NOW THERE WILL BE NOTHING TO FEAR . . . EVEN SO PERHAPS THE BEST ADVICE FOR ANYONE WHO'S PLANNING A TRIP HERE . . EAT, DRINK BUT BE WARY.

LENGTH-02:20 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

IF THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS LONGHORNS ARE ONE OF THE NATION'S TOP FOOTBALL PROGRAMS. AND SENIOR DREW KELSON IS ONE OF THEIR TOP PLAYERS - A DEFENSIVE BACK WITH LIGHTNING FAST FEET. YOU HAVE TO COME OUT EVERY DAY, AND WORK TO GET BETTER AND BETTER. DREW IS ALSO ONE OF A FEW LONGHORNS - WHO'VE BEEN DIAGNOSED AS HAVING A TENDENCY TO OVERHEAT. I'M JUST A HEAVY SWEAT-ER, AND I LOSE A LOT OF FLUID WHEN I'M RUNNING. SO - BEFORE EVERY WORKOUT - TEAM TRAINER KENNY BOYD GIVES DREW WHAT'S CALLED THE CORE-TEMP INGESTIBLE PILL.... A CAPSULE FILLED WITH BATTERIES - AND MORE. INSIDE - YOU HAVE A QUARTZ CRYSTAL THAT'S THE MAIN THING THAT MAKES IT TICK. FOUR HOURS AFTER THE PILL PASSES THROUGH THE STOMACH - IT TRANSMITS DATA TO AN ELECTRONIC RECORDER... AND GIVES BOYD A PRECISE READ-OUT OF DREW'S INTERNAL BODY TEMPERATURE. FOR DREW, IT'S A VERY BIG DEAL. JUST 21 YEARS OLD - HE'S KNOWN THREE FOOTBALL PLAYERS WHO DIED. IN EACH CASE OVERHEATING WAS A FACTOR. ONE - A FRIEND FROM HIGH SCHOOL. HE DIED ON THE FIELD - I MEAN - THEY TRIED TO BRING HIM BACK IN THE AMBULANCE ON THE WAY TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM - UNFORTUNATELY THEY WERE UNABLE TO. THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS IS ONE OF A HANDFUL OF COLLEGE AND PRO TEAMS NOW USING THE PILL - PRE-SCREENING PLAYERS WHO TEND TO HEAT FAST - AND PULLING THEM ASIDE TO

COOL DOWN WHEN THEY GET TOO HOT. THE AWARENESS STEMS FROM TRAGEDY. IN 2001, KOREY STRINGER - A 335 POUND OFFENSIVE TACKLE FOR THE MINNESOTA VIKINGS - DIED FROM HEATSTROKE DURING A SUMMER PRACTICE. ..AND EVEN MORE RECENT DEATHS THAT HAVE OCCURRED THROUGHOUT THE COLLEGIATE AND PROFESSIONAL COMMUNITY HAVE REALLY HEIGHTENED OUR AWARENESS. WHAT THEY'VE LEARNED IS THAT ATHLETES' RESPONSES TO RISING INTERNAL BODY TEMPERATURE CAN VARY. I WANTED TO SEE FOR MYSELF - WOW. THAT'S PRETTY BIG. I TOOK THE PILL - AND ABOUT 4-HOURS LATER - HAD MY BODY TEMPERATURE CHECKED. RIGHT NOW - YOU'RE READING AT 99-POINT-0-8. THEN WENT OUT ON A TRACK FOR A 4 MILE RUN. KEITH: YEAH, I'M PUSHING IT A LITTLE HARDER COACH - HOW'MIDOING? KENNY BOYD: LET'S SEE WHERE YOU'RE AT. KEITH: OK KENNY: THE INGESTIBLE PILL SAYS 100.77 - THAT'S MORE THAN A TENTH INCREASE FROM THE LAST LAP. KEITH: I ACTUALLY DO FEEL PRETTY HOT. IT TURNS OUT - I HAVE A FAIRLY GOOD SENSE OF MY INTERNAL TEMPERATURE. GO! GO! BUT THAT'S NOT THE CASE FOR THE TEXAS LONGHORN'S OFFENSIVE LINEMAN TONY HILLS. AT 6'5, AND 305 POUNDS, TONY HEATS UP FASTER THAN MOST - IN PART BECAUSE A GENETIC PRE-DISPOSITION WHICH AFFECTS HIS INTERNAL TEMPERATURE. WE'RE GETTING CLOSE TONY. IN THIS WORKOUT - TONY'S BODY TEMPERATURE GOES OVER 103 DEGREES. KENNY BOYD PULLS HIM ASIDE TO COOL DOWN - AND DRINK WATER. WHEN YOU'RE FOCUSED ON ONE THING, YOU PRETTY MUCH TUNE EVERYTHING OUT. THE DANGER COMES WHEN PLAYERS DON'T KNOW THEY'RE GETTING DANGEROUSLY HOT. SOME PEOPLE WILL EXERCISE - THEIR TEMPERATURES WILL GO UP - AND THEN THEY'LL SUDDENLY COLLAPSE AT A CERTAIN TEMPERATURE AND NOT EXHIBIT SYMPTOMS BEFORE THE COLLAPSE. ON THIS TEAM - NO ONE CLAIMS A TEMPERATURE PILL IS THE MIRACLE THAT WILL PREVENT HEATSTROKE. BUT NO ONE DOUBTS THIS HIGH-TECH WAY TO WATCH HIGH BODY TEMPERATURES COULD SAVE A PLAYER'S LIFE.

LENGTH-01:15 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-12:00

WHEN I NEED SOME GOOD KOSHER FOOD, THERE ARE ONLY THREE WORDS I NEED TO KNOW "FEED ME BUBBE" BUBBE IS 80-YEAR-OLD "BUBBE" SHER ... AND, IN THE WORLD OF INTERNET VIDEO BLOGS, BUBBE IS SOMETHING OF A STAR ... I FINALLY ADOPTED MY RECIPE SEVERAL YEARS AGO WHEN WE WERE IN THE CATSKILL MOUNTAINS" IN THE YEAR SINCE "FEED ME BUB BE" DEBUTED ON-LINE, IT'S GOTTEN MORE THAN 200,000 HITS ... IN EACH EPISODE, BUBBE -- WHICH IS YIDDISH FOR GRANDMOTHER -- PREPARES ONE OF HER SIGNATURE HOMEMADE DISHES -- CHICKEN SOUP AND MATZA BALLS ... OR JELLIE JAMMIES -- AS SHE PATIENTLY EXPLAINIS HOW TO MAKE IT AND WHAT TO PUT IN IT. "AND DON'T BE DISAPPOINTED IF THE FIRST THREE OR FOUR DON'T COME OUT RIGHT, YOU HAVE TO HAVE A PARTNERSHIP WITH THE FRYING PAN." "FEED ME BUBBE" IS THE BRAINCHILD OF HER 23-YEAR-OLD GRANDSON. "AFTER HE EDITED IT I SAID 'OH MY', YOU KNOW, YOU HAVE SOMETHING THERE. IT WAS EXCITING." "FEED ME BUBBE" IS JUST ONE OF A GROWING NUMBER OF VIDEOS POSTED BY OR FEATURING OLDER AMERICANS. THESE DAYS, YOUTUBE ISN'T JUST FOR THE YOUNG. YOU CAN FIND VIDEOS BY THE GULFPORT SENIOR CITIZENS HARMONICA CLUB. OR 92-YEAR-OLD PAUL GOODMAN PLUNKING OUT A JAZZ TUNE ON THE MINIATURE PIANO HE BUILT HIMSELF. AND THE VERY WHIMSICAL VIDEOBLOG "I CAN'T OPEN THIS" IN WHICH 81-YEAR-OLD MILLIE GARFIELD ... CHARMINGLY ... SEEKS HER SON'S HELP ... OPENING THINGS. I THINK I OPENED IT IN THE WRONG PLACE MILIE: THAT'S WHY I DIDN'T WANT TO TOUCH IT! "FEEDME BUBBE" IS BUBBE SHER'S WAY TO SHARE HER VERY PERSONAL CULINARY -- AND CULTURAL -- LEGACY WITH PEOPLE SHE'LL NEVER KNOW; PEOPLE SHE'LL NEVER MEET. VERY HUMAN STORIES ... ACCESSIBLE AT ANY AGE

LENGTH-00:44 ISSUE-CRIME- 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

GUNFIRE IN A PALMER RANCH NEIGHBORHOOD AS AN ARMED MAN IS BARRICADED IN HIS HOME.. AND SURROUNDED BY A SHERIFF'S SWAT TEAM.. IT'S HAPPENING NOW IN THE TURTLE ROCK NEIGHBORHOOD OF PALMER RANCH.. ON SABAL LAKE CIRCLE.. SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY RESPONDED TO A CALL OF A SUICIDAL MAN INSIDE THAT HOME.. WHEN THEY ARRIVED.. THEY THOUGHT THEY HEARD A GUNSHOT.. THAT'S WHEN THE SWAT TEAM WAS CALLED IN.. THE SWAT TEAM WAS THEN FIRED ON BY THE MAN INSIDE.. BUT NO ONE WAS HURT.. DEPUTIES SAY THE MAN IS ALONE IN THE HOUSE.. AND NEGOTIATORS ARE ON THE SCENE.. ALL NEIGHBORS IN THE 4800 BLOCK OF SABLE LAKE DRIVE HAVE BEEN ASKED BY THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE TO STAY INSIDE THEIR HOMES. THE HOMES CLOSEST TO THIS STANDOFF HAVE BEEN EVACUATED.. WE HAVE A CREW THERE.. AND WILL BRING YOU MORE INFORMATION AS IT BECOMES AVAILABLE..

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-5:00

A SEARCH WARRANT LEADS TO THE ARREST OF TWO SARASOTA RESIDENTS. POLICE RAIDING A HOME ON JANIE POE DRIVE WHERE THEY SEIZED ABOUT 32 GRAMS OF MARIJUANA, A DIGITAL SCALE, AND CASH.. GREGORY WASHINGTON JUNIOR AND COURTNEY BLUNT.. BOTH 21 YEARS OLD.. FACE MULTIPLE CHARGES INCLUDING MARIJUANA POSSESSION..

LENGTH-00:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

POLICE IN NEW JERSEY MAKE AN ARREST IN THE MURDERS OF THREE COLLEGE STUDENTS.. AND ANNOUNCE THEY'RE STILL LOOKING FOR A SECOND MAN..NEWARK'S MAYOR SAYS AN ARREST WARRANT HAS BEEN ISSUED FOR THE 31-YEAR-OLD MAN. LAST NIGHT, POLICE ARRESTED A TEENAGE BOY IN THE KILLINGS. OVER THE WEEKEND, FOUR FRIENDS WERE SHOT WHILE HANGING OUT IN A SCHOOL YARD. POLICE SAY ROBBERY APPEARS TO BE THE MOTIVE.

LENGTH-00:50 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

GLAUCOMA IS THE WORLD'S SECOND-LEADING CAUSE OF BLINDNESS. THERE ARE SEVERAL DIFFERENT TYPES OF GLAUCOMA, BUT ONE COMMON FORM IS CAUSED BY A BUILD-UP OF TINY FIBERS NEAR THE FRONT OF THE EYE. THIS TYPE, CALLED EXFOLIATION GLAUCOMA, IS ESTIMATED TO CAUSE BLINDNESS IN 10 TO 20 PERCENT OF PEOPLE OVER AGE 60 AROUND THE WORLD. IN A NEW STUDY, SCIENTISTS HAVE UNCOVERED A GENETIC LINK THAT GIVES CLUES ABOUT GLAUCOMA'S ORIGINS. THEY SCANNED THE ENTIRE GENOME OF NEARLY 200 PATIENTS WITH GLAUCOMA AND COMPARED IT TO THE GENES OF MORE THAN 14,000

PEOPLE WITHOUT THE DISEASE. THEY FOUND A GENE THAT IS HIGHLY ASSOCIATED WITH EXFOLIATION GLAUCOMA. PEOPLE WHO HAVE TWO COPIES OF THIS GENE HAVE 700 TIMES GREATER RISK FOR EXFOLIATION GLAUCOMA THAN PEOPLE WITH THE LOW-RISK VERSIONS. RESEARCHERS ESTIMATE THAT AROUND 1 IN 4 PEOPLE HAVE BOTH HIGH RISK COPIES. THE GENE MODIFIES THE FIBERS THAT CAUSE EYE DAMAGE AND BRING ON BLINDNESS. DOCTORS HOPE THAT IDENTIFYING THE GENE WILL BE A KEY STEP IN FINDING NEW TREATMENTS AND PREVENTION FOR THIS TYPE OF GLAUCOMA.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

THE FDA ANNOUNCING TODAY POPULAR HEARTBURN DRUGS PRILOSEC AND NEXIUM DO *NOT* APPEAR TO COME WITH A RISK OF HEART PROBLEMS. THE PILLS' MAKER ALERTED THE FDA IN MAY TO A PAIR OF STUDIES THAT SUGGESTED THE DRUGS MAY POSE A RISK. BUT THE FDA FOLLOWED UP, SAYING THOSE RESULTS APPEARED TO BE SKEWED.

AUGUST 10, 2007

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE SEARCH IS ON IN SOUTH FLORIDA FOR THE SUSPECT WHO SHOT AND KILLED A BROWARD COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTY...THE SECOND SHOOTING OF A BROWARD COUNTY DEPUTY THIS WEEK. THE DEPUTY WAS AMBUSHED AS HE APPROACHED TWO SUSPICIOUSLY PARKED CARS THIS MORNING IN POMPANO BEACH. THE SHOOTING COMES JUST DAYS AFTER ANOTHER BROWARD COUNTY DEPUTY WAS SHOT DURING A TRAFFIC STOP. THAT DEPUTY REMAINS IN CRITICAL CONDITION

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY OFFICIALS ARE LOOKING FOR A WOMAN THEY'VE DUBBED THE "BOTOX BANDIT." THIS IS A PICTURE THE SPA TOOK OF THE WOMAN. POLICE SAY SHE RECEIVED 850 DOLLARS WORTH IN BOTOX TREATMENTS, BEFORE TAKING OFF, LEAVING THE SPA TO FOOT THE BILL. WITH HELP FROM THE PHOTO... HILLSBOROUGH OFFICIALS SAY THEY KNOW EXACTLY WHO THEY'RE LOOKING FOR... SHE'LL BE A LESS WRINKLY WOMAN THAN THIS PHOTO... AND SHE CAN'T MAKE ANY EXPRESSIONS.

LENGTH-01:20 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

IT IS A RARE "VICTORY" OF SORTS... FOR A GROWING NUMBER OF AMERICANS... TAKING AN EVER LARGER NUMBER OF MEDICATIONS. ROSEMARIE COLA SOT " GENERIC DRUGS HAVE SAVED ME THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS A YEAR. IT MAKES LIFE MUCH EASIER WHEN YOU CAN USE THAT MONEY FOR OTHER THINGS TO SUSTAIN THE QUALITY OF YOUR LIFE." ACROSS THE COUNTRY... THE SAVINGS ARE ONLY BEGINNING. FIVE BLOCKBUSTER DRUGS... INCLUDING ZOCOR FOR CHOLESTEROL, AND ZOLOFT FOR DEPRESSION.. SAW THEIR 17-YEAR PATENTS EXPIRE LAST YEAR AND CONSUMERS ARE NOW SNATCHING UP CHEAPER, GENERIC VERSIONS. LAIZER KORNWASSER SOT "THERE'S A TIDAL WAVE OF GENERIC DRUGS / AND WE ARE JUST IN THE BEGINNING OF THAT TIDAL WAVE." ANOTHER 63 BRAND-NAME DRUGS ARE ABOUT TO LOSE THEIR PATENTS OVER THE NEXT FIVE YEARS. EVERYTHING FROM PREVACID FOR HEARTBURN, TO IMITREX FOR MIGRAINES... DRUGS WITH TOTAL ANNUAL SALES OF \$63 BILLION DOLLARS. JOHN MCKENZIE SU GENERIC ALTERNATIVES ARE, ON AVERAGE, 50 PERCENT CENT CHEAPER THAN BRAND NAME DRUGS. IN SOME CASES, UP TO 70 PERCENT CHEAPER. EVEN WITH INSURANCE. THE SLEEPING AID, AMBIEN, FOR EXAMPLE, COSTS \$125 DOLLARS. INSURANCE COMPANIES TYPICALLY PAY \$85. EMPLOYEES PICK UP THE \$40 CO-PAY. THE NEWGENERIC VERSION GOES FOR ONLY \$45. INSURANCE COMPANIES PAY \$30... AND THE CO-PAY IS REDUCED TO \$15. LOWER PRICES... WITHOUT COMPROMISING QUALITY. KORNWASSER SOT: "CONSUMERS HAVE REALIZED THAT GENERIC DRUGS ARE SAFE, THEY'RE FDA APPROVED, AND THEY HAVE THE SAME ACTIVE INGREDIENT." GENERICS ARE NOT ONLY BENEFITING INDIVIDUAL PATIENTS... BUT THE ENTIRE ECONOMY. BY SOME ESTIMATES... EVERY 1 PERCENT OF PRESCRIPTIONS NATIONWIDE THAT ARE SWITCHED FROM BRAND-NAMES TO GENERICS... SAVES 4-BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR IN HEALTH COSTS.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A COMPETENCY HEARING IS SET FOR MONDAY FOR THE MAN CHARGED WITH KILLING HIS STEPMOTHER. THOMAS FAST'S HEARING WILL DEAL STRICTLY WITH FAST'S GRAND THEFT AND CONCEALED WEAPONS CHARGES. FAST WILL BE ARRAIGNED ON MURDER CHARGES NEXT MONTH FOR THE MURDER OF 60-YEAR-OLD SUSAN FAST. HER DISMEMBERED BODY WAS FOUND EARLIER THIS MONTH IN A LAKEWOOD RANCH POND.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

BRITISH AUTHORITIES FEAR FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE MAY BE SPREADING. AUTHORITIES ARE TESTING FOR A NEW OUTBREAK OF THE ILLNESS.. THE NEW SUSPECTED CASE WAS FOUND ABOUT NINE MILES AWAY FROM TWO FARMS WHERE CASES ARE CONFIRMED. IN 2001, SEVEN-MILLION BRITISH ANIMALS WERE SLAUGHTERED AND INCINERATED, FOLLOWING AN OUTBREAK OF FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE.

LENGTH-01:21 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

BUSINESS OWNERS LIKE FRANCESCO INSOLIA WILL BE THE FOCUS OF THE ADMINISTRATION'S NEW IMMIGRATION FIGHT. THE BOSTON-AREA BUSINESSMAN WAS IN FEDERAL COURT JUST YESTERDAY, CHARGED WITH HIRING AND HARBORING ILLEGAL WORKERS. IN MARCH, AGENTS RAIDED HIS LEATHER COMPANY-- WHERE VESTS AND 7774444440 BACKPACKS ARE MADE FOR THE U-S MILITARY. THEY ARRESTED MORE THAN 360 ILLEGAL IMMIGRANTS. "THE MAGNET THAT BRINGS MOST ECONOMIC MIGRANTS INTO THIS COUNTRY IS WORK. AND IF WE HAVE WORKSITE ENFORCEMENT DIRECTED AT ILLEGAL EMPLOYMENT, WE STRIKE AT THAT MAGNET." AT A JOINT NEWS CONFERENCE, THE HEADS OF THE COMMERCE AND HOMELAND SECURITY DEPARTMENTS ANNOUNCED THE ADMINISTRATION'S NEW IMMIGRATION CRACKDOWN. IT COMES AFTER PRESIDENT BUSH AND CONGRESS FAILED TO PASS IMMIGRATION REFORM LEGISLATION EARLIER THIS YEAR. "BUT UNTIL THE LAWS CHANGE WE ARE ENFORCING THE LAWS AS THEY ARE, TO THE UTMOST OF OUR ABILITY, USING EVERY TOOL THAT WE HAVE IN OUR TOOLBOX. AND WE'RE GONNA SHARPEN SOME OF THOSE TOOLS." THOSE TOOLS INCLUDE REQUIRING EMPLOYERS TO FIRE WORKERS UNABLE TO CLEAR UP PROBLEMS WITH THEIR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS AFTER 90 DAYS. IF THEY DON'T, THOSE EMPLOYERS WILL BE IN TROUBLE. THE HOMELAND SECURITY DEPARTMENT WILL ALSO ASK STATES TO VOLUNTARILY SHARE THEIR DRIVER'S LICENSE PHOTOS AND RECORDS WITH THE AGENCY FOR USE IN AN EMPLOYMENT VERIFICATION SYSTEM. "ULTIMATELY, THESE GUIDELINES WILL MAKE IT MORE DIFFICULT FOR ILLEGAL ALIENS TO USE A FRAUDULENT SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER TO GET A JOB, AND WILL HELP EMPLOYERS TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION TO PROTECT THEMSELVES." BUT IF THE CHANGES ARE SO IMPORTANT, WHY HASN'T THE WHITE HOUSE IMPLEMENTED THEM BEFORE NOW? A SPOKESPERSON SAYS, THE PRESIDENT WAS WAITING FOR CONGRESS TO PASS SWEEPING REFORMS.

LENGTH-00:48 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:30

A NEW STUDY FINDS WOMEN WITH A PARTICULAR KIND OF MIGRAINE HEADACHE MAY BE AT HIGHER RISK FOR STROKE. DOCTORS EXAMINED NEARLY 400 YOUNG WOMEN WHO HAD SUFFERED A STROKE AND COMPARED THEM TO 600 HEALTHY WOMEN. THEY FOUND THAT THOSE WHO HAD MIGRAINE HEADACHES WITH VISUAL SYMPTOMS -- SUCH AS FLASHING LIGHTS OR SPOTS -- HAD AROUND A 50% HIGHER RISK OF STROKE. THIS TYPE OF MIGRAINE IS OFTEN CALLED MIGRAINE WITH AURA. EIGHT PERCENT OF THE WOMEN IN THE STROKE GROUP SUFFERED MIGRAINES WITH AURA IN THE PAST YEAR, COMPARED TO 1 PERCENT OF THE CONTROL GROUP. DOCTORS ALSO FOUND THAT OTHER LIFESTYLE FACTORS CAN COMPOUND THE STROKE DANGER. WOMEN WITH AURA MIGRAINES WHO SMOKED AND USED BIRTH CONTROL PILLS WERE SEVEN TIMES MORE LIKELY TO HAVE A STROKE THAN THOSE WHO SUFFERED FROM HEADACHES ALONE. THE CHANCES OF A YOUNG WOMAN HAVING A STROKE ARE STILL VERY LOW, EVEN FACTORING IN MIGRAINE HEADACHES. BUT DOCTORS SAY WOMEN WITH AURA HEADACHES SHOULD REDUCE THEIR OTHER STROKE RISK FACTORS, WHICH MEANS NOT SMOKING, EXERCISING, AND FOLLOWING A HEALTHY DIET.

AUGUST 11, 2007

LENGTH-01:47 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

DISTRAUGHT RELATIVES ARRIVE AT THE CRIME SCENE ... WHERE 27 YEAR OLD DONNIE WHITE WAS SHOT AND KILLED EARLY THIS MORNING. NEIGHBORS LOOK ON IN SHOCK ... THAT SOMETHING LIKE THIS COULD HAPPEN ON THEIR QUIET STREET. "PRETTY SURPRISED TO SEE ALL THE CRIME SCENE ACTIVITY. PEOPLE WALK AROUND WITH THEIR DOGS... ELDERLY PEOPLE" BUT ANOTHER NEIGHBOR ... WHO DIDN'T WANT HIS FACE SHOWN ... SAYS HE HEARD THE RUCKUS. HE SAYS SOMEONE WOKE HIM BANGING ON HIS DOOR IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT. BUT WHEN HE ASKED WHO WAS THERE ... NO ONE ANSWERED. "NO BODY SPOKE I STOOD IN THE HALL ABOUT 5 MINUTES ... THEN I HEARD TWO SHOTS." LT. CHUCK LESALTATO SAYS DEPUTIES WERE CALLED TO THE HOME 3 TIMES DURING THE NIGHT. THE FIRST TIME DEPUTIES WENT TO THE HOUSE WAS AROUND 3:15 AM. "NOTHING WAS GOING ON AT 4:30 ANOTHER CALL CAME ABOUT 6:15 AND WHEN WE ARRIVED WE FOUND SOMEONE HAD BEEN SHOT." AND DEPUTIES DIDN'T HAVE TO SEARCH FAR TO FIND A SUSPECT. "WHEN OUR PATROL UNITS ARRIVED ON THE SCENE ALL PARTIES WERE STILL HERE. THERE ARE SOME WITNESSES WE TOOK TO OUR SOUTH COUNTY OFFICE TALKING TO EVERYBODY RIGHT NOW, TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHAT HAPPENED."

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

A WAR OF WORDS QUICKLY LED TO BLOWS ...AT A RESTAURANT IN EAST BRADENTON LATE LAST NIGHT. IT HAPPENED AT THE CHILI'S RESTAURANT IN THE 3700 BLOCK OF 1ST STREET. DEPUTIES WERE EATING IN THE RESTAURANT ...WHEN THE FIGHT BROKE OUT AT THE BAR. THEY YELLED AT WILLIAM JONES AND RYAN EMPEY TO BREAK IT UP. AND WHEN THE FIGHTING CONTINUED ...AND DEPUTIES TASIERED BOTH MEN ... AND ATTRESTED THEM. . AS THEY WERE HANDCUFFING JONES .. THEY FOUND A LOADED SEMI- AUTOMATIC HANDGUN IN HIS POCK ET.

LENGTH-00:43 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-LATE

ALL BUT TWO COME UP CLEAN ... WHEN OFFICIALS CONDUCT THE THIRD CHECK THIS YEAR ...ON THE SALE OF ALCOHOL AND TOBACCO TO MINORS. PUNTA GORDA POLICE DETECTIVES AND STATE OFFICIALS TEAMED UP AGAIN YESTERDAY.... .. FOR THE CITY'S LARGEST ENFORCEMENT SWEEP EVER. UNDER COVER OFFICERS CHECKED OF 21 LOCAL ESTABLISHMENTS IN PUNTA GORDA...TO SEE IF THEY WOULD SELL ALCOHOL OR CIGARETTES TO MINORS ...AND ONLY TWO WERE FOUND IN VIOLATION. A CLERK WAS BUSTED AT THE SWEETBAY SUPERMARKET AT THE 10 THOUSAND BLOCK OF TAMIAMI TRAIL ... FOR SELLING A BOX OF WINE TO A MINOR ...AND...A FEMALE BARTENDER AT HARPOON HARRY'S WAS ARRESTED FOR SELLING AN UNDERCOVER AID, A MUG OF BEER. BOTH VIOLATORS WERE ARRESTED AND TAKEN TO CHARLOTTE COUNTY JAIL.

AUGUST 12, 2007

LENGTH-00:38 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-EARLY

AROUND 1:30 THIS MORNING ... A BRADENTON MAN HEARD A NOISE ON HIS SCREENED IN PORCH ...AND WHEN HE PEERED OUT ...HE SAW A MAN RUMMAGING THRU HIS THINGS. IT HAPPENED IN THE TROPICAL TRAILER PARK IN 11 HUNDRED BLOCK OF 53RD AVENUE EAST. RESIDENT GREG GIBSON CALLED THE POLICE ... AND WHEN THEY ARRIVED ... THE BURGLER TOOK OFF RUNNING. A K 9 TEAM CHASED HIM DOWN ...AND DEPUTIES TOOK TERRY J. YARGER INTO CUSTODY. THEY SAY GIBSON WASN'T THE ONLY ONE ROBBED LAST NIGHT. THERE WERE 11 CONFIRMED BURGLARIES IN THE PARK. 9 HOMES AND TWO VEHICLES WERE HIT. OFFICERS SAY IT APPEARS YARGER WAS STEALING LOOSE CHANGE ...HE HAD LARGE AMOUNTS IN HIS POCKETS WHEN HE WAS ARRESTED.

AUGUST 13, 2007

LENGTH-00:54 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

NINETEEN YEAR-OLD WALTER BURSON IS GETTING SOME HIGH-POWERED HELP IN HIS QUEST TO LOSE WEIGHT. I'M LIKE ONE OF HIS PARENTS. DOCTOR WILLIAM ALEXANDER IS DIRECTOR OF THE INSTITUTE FOR HEALTH POLICY AT THE MOREHOUSE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE. HE'S ALSO BEEN WALTER'S MENTOR FOR FOUR YEARS. I AM ALWAYS CALLING TO FIND OUT WHAT ARE YOU EATING? ARE YOU EATING? ARE YOU GETTING ENOUGH SLEEP? ARE YOU EXERCISING? ALEXANDER AND OTHER MEMBERS OF A GROUP CALLED 100 BLACK MEN ARE ON A MISSION TO PROMOTE BETTER HEALTH AMONG AFRICAN AMERICANS...YOUNG AND OLD. WE BELIEVE VERY STRONGLY THAT IF WE CAN HELP OUR STUDENTS IMPROVE THEIR HEALTH THEY WILL IMPROVE THEIR ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE...AND IMPROVE THEIR CHANCES OF BEING HEALTHIER AS THEY TRANSITION INTO ADULTHOOD. IT'S ESTIMATED 60-PERCENT OF BLACK MEN ARE OVERWEIGHT...41-PERCENT HAVE CARDIO-VASCULAR DISEASE. AND, THEY'RE TWICE AS LIKELY AS WHITE MEN TO HAVE DIABETES OR DIE OF CANCER. WALTER SEEMS TO BE GETTING THE MESSAGE, HE'S LOST NEARLY 20-POUNDS. I WANT TO LIVE A LONG LIFE AND NOW IS THE TIME TO START.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A MANATEE COUNTY CAB DRIVER IS ROBBED AT KNIFE POINT EARLY THIS MORNING.. SHERIFF'S INVESTIGATORS SAY THE DRIVER WAS PARKED ALONG 15th STREET WEST IN BRADENTON JUST BEFORE 4 A.M. THAT'S WHEN TWO MEN ARMED WITH A KNIFE.. DEMANDED MONEY.. THE DRIVER WASN'T HURT.. AND THERE'S NO WORD HOW MUCH MONEY WAS STOLEN..

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

TROOPERS NEED YOUR HELP TO FIND A STOLEN TRAILER. A DRIVER'S VEHICLE BROKE DOWN LATE SATURDAY NIGHT AT I-75 AND UNIVERSITY PARKWAY.. WHEN HE RETURNED THE NEXT DAY.. THE BLACK UTILITY TRAILER WAS GONE..

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

MISSOURI PROSECUTORS CHARGING SUNDAY'S SUSPECTED CHURCH GUNMAN WITH THREE COUNTS OF FIRST DEGREE MURDER. EIKEN SY-MON IS ACCUSED OF KILLING THREE PEOPLE YESTERDAY DURING WORSHIP SERVICES AT FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. FIVE OTHERS WERE HURT IN THE ATTACK. SAIMON IS BEING HELD ON FIVE-MILLION DOLLARS BOND.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A PENNSYLVANIA MAN IS IN JAIL TODAY AFTER ALLEGEDLY KILLING A NEIGHBOR'S DOG FOR BARKING TOO MUCH. POLICE SAY THE MAN LURED THE DOG TO HIS HOUSE AND FED IT BEFORE SHOOTING IT SEVERAL TIMES. THE MAN HAD THREATENED TO SHOOT THE DOG IF IT DIDN'T STOP BARKING. THE DOG'S OWNER SAYS HE ALWAYS BARKED AT THUNDER AND LIGHTNING AND THERE WAS A STORM WHEN THE DOG WAS SHOT.

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

THE ARMY'S PLAN TO LAUNCH A TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY EDUCATION PROGRAM WAS UNVEILED TODAY.. THE PROGRAM IS FOR ACTIVE MEMBERS OF THE MILITARY AS WELL AS VETERANS. ITS FOCUS WILL BE ON TREATMENT FOR POST TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDERS AND TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURIES... COMMON AILMENTS FROM THE IRAQ WAR..THE PROGRAM ALSO EDUCATES SOLDIERS TO HELP THEM IDENTIFY SYMPTOMS..

AUGUST 14, 2007

LENGTH-00:11

ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

ALONG WITH A NUTRITIOUS LUNCH AT A SENIOR CENTER IN FLUSHING, NEW YORK ARE FREE CONDOMS! (MAN TAKES BASKET OF CONDOMS:"I'LL TAKE IT ALL WOMAN: YOU NEED IT. NOT WITH ME, BABY. MAN: WHY NOT?" "N-Y-C" SUBWAY LOGO CONDOMS! "I LOOK IT ON THE LOGO, HERE, AND IT SAYS NYC. IS IT LIMITED TO THE CITY LIMITS?") A JOKE TO SOME. BUT IT'S MORE THAN A LAUGHING MATTER FOR WOMEN AND MEN WHO ARE FRISKY WELL PAST THEIR FIFTIES. "IF THEY ASK YOU TO DANCE THEY WANT TO GO TO BED WITH YOU RIGHT AWAY SO YOU GOT TO BE VERY CAREFUL, YOU KNOW.") NEW YORK CITY IS SPENDING \$1-MILLION DOLLARS FOR SENIORS AIDS EDUCATION THIS FISCAL YEAR....PARTLY BECAUSE DRUG COCKTAILS MEAN THOSE ALREADY INFECTED ARE LIVING LONGER....AND PARTLY BECAUSE DRUGS LIKE VIAGRA INCREASE SEXUAL OPTIONS FOR MANY SENIORS. WE'RE NOW AT A POINT WHERE 32% OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH HIV OR AIDS ARE PEOPLE OVER THE AGE OF 50. SO WE WANTED TO RAISE AWARENESS AMONG THE SENIOR POPULATION.") THE EDUCATORS ARE SENIORS WHO ARE HIV-POSITIVE, ...LIKE 66-YEAR OLD MYRON GOLD...A REGULAR SPEAKER AT RETIREMENT CENTERS. "WHEN I PRESENTED THEM WITH A BOWL OF CONDOMS THEY WERE GRABBING THE CONDOMS AND SAYING TO ME IT'S FOR MY SON OR MY GRANDSON. BUT THE DIRECTOR TOLD ME THEY'RE HAVING UNPROTECTED SEX, THE PEOPLE IN THEIR 80'S , MEN AND WOMEN." GOLD AND BRENDA LEE CURRY- WHO HAS HAD AIDS FOR EIGHT-YEARS-- SAY THEIR MESSAGE NEEDS TO BE REINFORCED BY PHYSICIANS. "WHEN A SENIOR GOES TO SEE THEIR DOCTOR, THIS IS NOT REALLY SOMETHING THAT COMES UP. "NO. HE'S TOO EMBARRASSED TO ASK. IT'S LIKE ASKING YOUR MOTHER OR YOUR AUNT SARA, 'MA. ARE YOU HAVING SEX?' NO HE'S NOT GOING TO ASK AN OLDER WOMAN THAT, WHEN HE SHOULD." THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL SAYS SENIORS AGED OVER 65 ACCOUNTED FOR JUST 2% OF HIV DIAGNOSES IN 2005, THE LATEST YEAR ON RECORD. BUT, RESEARCHERS SAY, AS PEOPLE WITH HIV AGE, SEXUALLY-ACTIVE SENIORS FACE A GROWING RISK OF INFECTION.

LENGTH-00:29

ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

A DISTURBING STORY THIS AFTERNOON FROM BRADENTON. A MAN IS IN JAIL ON CHILD ABUSE CHARGES. AUTHORITIES SAY HE PUNSHINED AN EIGHT YEAR OLD BOY BY TYING HIS WRISTS TOGETHER , HANGING HIM FROM A RAFTER AND BEATING HIM. POLICE SAY IT HAPPENED SUNDAY IN A SHED BEHIND A HOME IN THE 900 BLOCK OF 23RD AVENUE WEST. AUTHORITIES SAY 30-YEAR OLD JOSHUA SADOWSKI WAS WATCHING THE BOY AND HIS BROTHER WHILE THEIR MOTHER WAS OUT. ACCORDING TO AN ARREST REPORT, SADOWSKI TOLD OFFICERS THAT HE DID NOT HURT THE BOY. BUT AUTHORITIES REPORTED FINDING RED MARKS ON THE CHILD'S BODY. SADOWSKI REMAINS IN JAIL ON A \$250,000 BOND.

LENGTH-00:21

ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

AN ACT OF KINDNESS TURNS INTO A LOSS AFTER A MAN STEALS A CAR FROM SOMEONE GIVING HIM A FREE RIDE. ACCORDING TO A SHERIFF'S OFFICE REPORT, 19-YEAR-OLD BRYAN MATTER GAVE A MAN A RIDE FROM THE SEVEN ELEVEN STORE ON 14TH STREET WEST IN BRADENTON. THAT RIDE TURNED INTO A CAR JACKING WHEN MATER STOPPED AT A TRAILER PARK IN THE 500 BLOCK OF 53 AVENUE WEST. THE MAN STARTED CHOKING THE TEEEN AND DEMANDED HE GIVE HIM HIS WALLET AND CELL PHONE. HE THEN PUSHED THE DRIVER OUT OF THE CAR.

LENGTH-02:15 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-12:00

GLORIA WHEELLESS HAS WAITED TWO *MONTHS* TO GET A MAMMOGRAM. NEVER, IT SHOULD NEVER BE THIS HARD. "PROFESSIONAL RADIOLOGY -- GOOD AFTERNOON." THE 53 YEAR OLD CALLED IN JUNE TO SCHEDULE THE PROCEDURE-- BUT WAS TOLD THE FIRST AVAILABLE APPOINTMENT WASN'T UNTIL DECEMBER. TODAY, THANKS TO A CANCELLATION, SHE'S MANAGED TO CUT HER WAIT TIME ... FROM SIX MONTHS ... TO TWO. ... THE POTENTIAL DIFFERENCE BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH. IF YOU HAVE A LUMP OR SOMETHING, YOU WANT TO GET IT CHECKED, YOU DON 'T WANT TO WAIT THAT LONG. GLORIA'S SITUATION IS NOT AN ISOLATED ONE. THROUGHOUT THE NATION ... WOMEN ARE FINDING IT INCREASINGLY DIFFICULT TO SCHEDULE MAMMOGRAMS . SINCE 1999 , MORE THAN A THOUSAND -- THAT'S ROUGHLY 12% -- OF THE NATION'S MAMMOGRAPHY FACILITIES HAVE CLOSED . THE REASON: RISING OVERHEAD COSTS . AND A DECLINE IN THE NUMBER OF DOCTORS WILLING TO DO THE PROCEDURE. THE CLOSING OF SO MANY FACILITIES HAS RESULTED IN A BACKLOG AT THE REMAINING MAMMOGRAPHY CLINICS ... AND CONTRIBUTED TO A NATIONAL DROP IN THE NUMBER OF WOMEN WHO GET MAMMOGRAMS. IT SHOULDN'T BE THIS HARD. BUT THIS IS WHAT WE HAVE// THE DEMAND IS A LOT HIGHER THAN WHAT WE CAN OFFER SO A LOT OF PEOPLE ARE NOT COMING FOR THEIR MAMMOGRAMS. AFTER RISING DRAMATICALLY IN THE EIGHTIES AND NINETIES, THE RATE OF WOMEN WHO WENT IN FOR ANNUAL MAMMOGRAMS DROPPED . TODAY, ONLY 66% OF WOMEN AGED FORTY AND OVER GET YEARLY MAMMOGRAMS -- THAT'S THREE MILLION FEWER WOMEN THAN FIVE YEARS AGO. AND IT'S NOT ONLY THE CLOSING OF MAMMOGRAPHY FACILITIES THAT'S CONTRIBUTING TO THE DROP ; MANY WOMEN, LIKE 56-YEAR-OLD RITA MCKEE , ARE MAKING THE CONSCIOUS DECISIONS *NOT* TO GET MAMMOGRAMS BECAUSE OF HOW *PAINFUL* THEY ARE . I HAVEN'T HAD A MAMMOGRAM IN THREE YEARS BECAUSE THE LAST TIME I HAD ONE IT HURT SO BADLY THAT I WAS IN TEARS . AND EVEN THOUGH SHE'S HAD A HISTORY OF CYSTS IN HER BREASTS -- EVEN UNDERWENT A BREAST BIOPSY -- RITA SAYS SHE JUST CAN'T BRING HERSELF TO GO BACK . I'M CONCERNED THAT SOMETHING'S HAPPENING IN MY BODY RIGHT NOW BUT I THINK THAT AS AN AMERICAN CITIZEN I HAVE THE RIGHT TO HAVE MEDICAL CARE THAT DOES NOT FEEL TORTUOUS/ FOR OTHER WOMEN ... LIKE 58-YEAR-OLD LYNN DAVIDSON ... IT'S NOT THE PAIN OF THE *PROCEDURE* --- BUT THE PAIN OF DEALING WITH *INSURANCE* -- THAT 'S PROMPTED THEM TO FOREGO MAMMOGRAMS. IT WAS TOO MUCH OF A HASSLE WITH THE INSURANCE COMPANY THIS YEAR TO SEE IF THEY WOULD REIMBURSE ME, SO I JUST DECIDED TO SKIP IT FOR 2007 . FOR LYNN ... AND FOR THE MILLIONS OF OTHER WOMEN UNABLE OR UNWILLING TO GET A MAMMOGRAM THIS YEAR... THE DEVASTATING REALITY IS *NO MAMMOGRAM* ... COULD MEAN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN LIFE ... AND DEATH

LENGTH-01:40 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

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ONE MILLION FISHER PRICE TOYS RECALLED OVER CONCERNS ABOUT POTENTIALLY HAZARDOUS LEAD PAINT INCLUDING SESAME STREET CHARACTERS LIKE ELMO AND BIG BIRD. THE ITEMS ALL MANUFACTURED IN CHINA... ANOTHER POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS CHINESE IMPORT... HEALTH OFFICIALS SAY... INEXPENSIVE CHILDREN'S JEWELRY. ...THAT CAN ALSO CONTAIN LEAD ---AND WHEN SWALLOWED, CAN BE DEADLY. "THE PROBLEM IS THAT SOMETIMES PARENTS DON'T KNOW THAT THEIR CHILD HAS SWALLOWED SOMETHING LIKE THIS UNTIL THE SYMPTOMS COME AND AT THAT POINT IT CAN BE DIFFICULT FOR THE DOCTORS TO FIGURE OUT." LAST YEAR, A FOUR YEAR OLD MINNEAPOLIS BOY DIED AFTER SWALLOWING A CHARM CONTAINING LEAD....CAUSING SEIZURES, VOMITING AND RESPIRATORY FAILURE. THIS IS SOMETHING THAT YOU'D THINK HAD COME OUT OF A MOVIE - BUT IT'S NOT. BALTIMORE CITY HEALTH COMMISSIONER, PEDIATRICIAN JOSHUA SHARFSTEIN, IS WAGING HIS OWN WAR AGAINST LEAD IN JEWELRY...WHICH UNLIKE LEAD IN TOYS, IS NOT AGAINST THE LAW. "THE PENDANT WAS A POISON LEAD PILL." HE SENDS HIS OWN INSPECTORS OUT TO RANDOMLY PURCHASE ITEMS FOR TESTING... THEY FOUND THIS SPIDERMAN THREE RING...MANUFACTURED IN CHINA...CONTAINED MORE THAN 12 PERCENT LEAD BY WEIGHT. "IF A CHILD SWALLOWED THIS RING, IT COULD DEFINITELY CAUSE THEM HARM. NOW I CANT SAY FOR SURE THAT IT WOULD BE ENOUGH HARM TO CAUSE DEATH, BUT IT COULD POTENTIALLY AFFECT THEIR BRAIN, AFFECT THEIR KIDNEYS, AFFECT OTHER PARTS OF THEIR BODY AND CAUSE A SIGNIFICANT PROBLEM." DOLLAR TREE STORES, WHICH SOLD THE RING, TOLD CNN IT HAS PULLED THE ITEM FROM ITS 3,000 STORES NATIONWIDE. AND IT SAID IT WAS WORKING WITH MANUFACTURERS TO MAKE SURE PROPER PROCEDURES ARE FOLLOWED. THE BALTIMORE INSPECTORS ALSO FOUND LEAD IN THIS RING SOLD AT WAL-MART A YEAR AGO. "WHEN WE NOTIFIED WAL MART THAT THIS PRODUCT HAD HIGH LEVELS OF LEAD, THEY TOOK IT OFF THE MARKET IN ALL THEIR STORES AROUND THE WORLD. WALMART TOLD CNN "...WE SHARE THE SAME CONCERNS AS OUR CUSTOMERS ON PRODUCT SAFETY..." THE CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION SAYS IT HAS STEPPED UP EFFORTS TO GET LEAD JEWELRY OUT OF STORES, BUT SPOT CHECKS CONTINUE TO SHOW 20% OF KIDS JEWELRY CONTAINS UNSAFE LEVELS OF LEAD.

LENGTH-00:43 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

DESPITE WHAT IT LOOKS LIKE THIS IS NOT THE VICTIM IN THE ROBBERY ATTEMPT AT SHAMROCK LIQUORS. KASEY KAZEE IS THE SUSPECT.....POLICE SAY KAZEE DID THIS THIS TO HIMSELF, WRAPPING HIS HEAD IN DUCT TAPE TO CONCEAL HIS FACE. STORE MANAGER BILL STEELE COULDN'T BELIEVE WHAT HE WAS SEEING.... FORTUNATELY STEELE HAD HIS OWN DUCT TAPE, ATTACHED TO A WOODEN CLUB, THAT SENT THE SUSPECT FLEEING TO THE PARKING LOT, WHERE EMPLOYEE CRAIG MILLER TACKLED KAZEE. WE AREN'T DONE YET, THE STORY GETS EVEN STRANGER, WE INTERVIEWED KAZEE IN THE JAIL, AND HE SAYS POLICE HAVE THE WRONG MAN, DESPITE THE POLICE PICTURES THAT MIGHT SUGGEST OTHERWISE. DO THE MATH, DO THE HOMEWORK, MAN. STORE EMPLOYEES SAY KAZEE ALSO HAD A T-SHIRT UP AROUND HIS FACE...THROW IN SOME DUCT TAPE..AND IT BECOMES SORT OF A

CARTOON. IT DID NOT STICK. BUT POLICE SAY THEY HAVE ENOUGH TO MAKE THE CHARGES STICK, AND THAT'S GOOD ENOUGH FOR THE EMPLOYEES WHO STOPPED A ROBBERY IN PROGRESS.

LENGTH-01:49 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

WORKING WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TUESDAY. THE VENICE POLICE DEPARTMENT ENTERED THIS WALK IN CLINIC ON THE ISLAND OF VENICE. "DETECTIVES OBTAINED A SEARCH WARRANT TODAY TO GO INTO THE OFFICE AND SECURE THE FILES OF AT LEAST 26-PATIENTS WHO WERE TREATED BY EDUARDO SANCHEZ." SANCHEZ WAS TAKEN OUT IN HANDCUFFS, FILES AND WHAT APPEARS TO BE CERTIFICATES WERE REMOVED, AND HIS VEHICLE WAS SEARCHED. "IT'S A SERIOUS CRIME. ANY TIME YOU TREAT PATIENTS AND YOU'RE NOT A LICENSED PHYSICIAN. IN FACT I'M NOT SURE IF HE HAS ANY REAL MEDICAL EXPERTISE AT THIS POINT." DETECTIVES BELIEVE SANCHEZ HAS BEEN WORKING AS A DOCTOR HERE SINCE AT LEAST MARCH OF THIS YEAR. THEY SAY THERE IS NO RECORD OF HIM HAVING A LICENSE IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA. "THE VENICE POLICE DEPARTMENT IS ASKING ANYONE WHO WAS TREATED BY SANCHEZ TO COME FORWARD. MORE IMPORTANTLY TO BE RETREATED BY A REAL DOCTOR." "WHAT WE'RE TRYING TO DO IS FIRST OF MAKE SURE THERE IS NO SERIOUS AILMENTS THAT WERE MISDIAGNOSED." DETECTIVES SAY MOST WHO COME TO THIS FACILITY COME FOR MINOR AILMENTS SO HOPEFULLY NOTHING MAJOR HAS BEEN OVERLOOKED. BUT A REMINDER THAT WHEREVER YOU GO FOR CARE YOU SHOULD DOUBLE CHECK WHO'S TREATING YOU. "I WOULD RECOMMEND TO ANY CITIZEN THAT ANY TIME YOU ARE GOING TO A DOCTOR THAT YOU CAN GO TO WEB SITES, DPR WEB SITES AND MAKE SURE SOMEONE IS A LEGITIMATE DOCTOR."

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

TWO POPULAR DIABETES DRUGS WILL NOW BE LABELED WITH SEVERE WARNINGS. BECAUSE THEY COULD CAUSE HEART FAILURE IN SOME PATIENTS. THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION SAYS THE MAKERS OF AVANDIA AND ACTOS HAVE AGREED TO ADD WHAT'S CALLED "BLACK-BOX" WARNINGS. THEY'RE THE MOST SEVERE WARNINGS PRESCRIPTION DRUGS CAN HAVE. THE MEDICINES MAY CAUSE OR WORSEN HEART FAILURE TOO. THE NEW WARNING IS SEPARATE FROM CONCERNS THAT AVANDIA COULD ALSO RAISE THE RISK OF HEART ATTACK.

AUGUST 15, 2007

LENGTH-00:32 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MANY SENIORS AND THE DISABLED WILL NEED TO SHOP AROUND NEXT YEAR TO AVOID AN INCREASE IN THEIR MONTHLY PREMIUMS FOR THE MEDICARE DRUG BENEFIT. MEDICARE OFFICIALS SAY THE AVERAGE PREMIUM FOR BASIC COVERAGE WILL INCREASE FROM ABOUT \$22 THIS YEAR TO \$25 NEXT YEAR. ABOUT 24 MILLION SENIORS AND DISABLED PEOPLE ARE ENROLLED IN THE DRUG BENEFIT, OR IN OTHER COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH PLANS THAT INCLUDE DRUG COVERAGE. MEDICARE OFFICIALS SAY THE COST INCREASE IS THE RESULT OF TECHNICAL ADJUSTMENTS REQUIRED BY LAW. OFFICIALS SAY BY SHOPPING AROUND DURING THE NEXT OPEN ENROLLMENT SEASON, WHICH BEGINS NOVEMBER 15TH, MOST SENIORS AND THE DISABLED CAN STILL ACCESS PLANS THAT COST THE SAME OR BELOW WHAT THEY PAID THIS YEAR.

LENGTH-00:42 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE WOMAN IN THE MIDDLE OF A BRADENTON POLICE SCANDAL CLAIMS SHE WAS KIDNAPPED EARLY THIS MORNING. 30-YEAR OLD DAWN GIBSON TELLS MANATEE COUNTY DEPUTIES TWO MEN FORCED HER INTO AN SUV. SHE CLAIMS IT HAPPENED AROUND FOUR THIS MORNING AS SHE WALKED ALONG 14TH STREET WEST. THE WOMAN TELLS DEPUTIES A THIRD MAN IN THE VEHICLE TRIED TO SUFFOCATE HER. ACCORDING DEPUTIES, GIBSON MANAGED TO JUMP OUT OF THE SUV ALONG 30TH AVENUE WEST. DEPUTIES TOOK THE WOMAN TO MANATTE MEMORIAL FOR TREATMENT OF CUTS AND SCRAPES. INVESTIGATORS ARE NOW TRYING TO DETERMINE IF THE ALLEGED INCIDENT IS CONNECTED TO A DOMESTIC DISPUTE WITH HER BOYFRIEND WHO WAS ARRESTED OVER THE WEEKEND. LAST MONTH, THREE BRADENTON POLICE OFFICERS RESIGNED AMID A SEX SCANDAL INVOLVING GIBSON, A KNOWN PROSTITUTE. THE STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE IS STILL INVESTIGATING WHETHER CRIMINAL CHARGES SHOULD BE FILED.

LENGTH-01:44 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

SEE ANGELINA'S "BILLY BOB TATTOO!!!) HERE'S A STATISTIC THAT ANGELINA JOLIE-OR SHOULD WE SAY THE "FORMER" MRS. BILLY BOB THORNTON KNOWS ALL TOO WELL: OF THE 45 MILLION AMERICANS WHO HAVE TATTOOS, AN FDA STUDY FOUND ALMOST 8 MILLION OF THEM REGRET IT. LIFE CIRCUMSTANCES CHANGE, A DECISION THAT YOU MAKE AT 25 OR 35, YOU MIGHT WANT TO REVERSE WHEN YOU ARE 55 AND 65. MARTIN SCHMIEG IS THE CEO OF FREEDOM 2, AND GUINNEA PIG FOR THEIR NEW TECHNOLOGY THAT MIGHT REVOLUTIONIZE THE TATTOO BUSINESS. THEY HAVE INVENTED AN ERASABLE TATTOO. WHAT WE HAVE DONE IS WE HAVE STUDIED VERY CAREFULLY TO MAKE SURE THAT WE ENGINEER AND INK THAT HAS THE ABSOLUTE BEST PARTICLE SIZE OF PIGMENTS THAT GO IN AND OUT OF THE SKIN. NOW, AS ANGELINA JOLIE LEARNED, YOU CAN HAVE TRADITIONAL TATTOOS REMOVED THROUGH

PAINFUL LASER TREATMENT, BUT IT CAN TAKE MORE THAN A DOZEN SESSIONS AND COST THOUSANDS. YOU HAVE TO WAIT ABOUT A MONTH OR TWO BETWEEN TREATMENTS SO YOU'RE LOOKING AT ABOUT A YEAR, A YEAR-AND-A-HALF TO REMOVE A TATTOO...SOMETIMES UP TO 2 YEARS. THE FREEDOM 2 INK IS DESIGNED TO DISAPPEAR IN JUST ONE SESSION. IT IS ENCASED IN MICROSCOPIC POLYMER BEADS...WHEN YOU BREAK THEM, THE INK GETS ABSORBED HARMLESSLY INTO THE BODY. STAND-UP: NOW YOU MIGHT THINK THE INVENTION OF AN ERASABLE TATTOO WOULD BE WELCOMED WITH OPEN-ARMS HERE... ALBEIT OPEN INKED ARMED. BUT NO...IT IS HUGLEY CONTROVERSIAL, WITH PEOPLE IN THE TATTOO WORLD SAYING IT CHEATS THE VERY CONCEPT OF FOREVER. TATTOOS ARE SUPPOSED TO BE SPECIAL, NOT SOMETHING YOU GET TAKEN OFF LIKE 10 MINUTES LATER IN THIS COMMUNITY THERE IS THE DEEP SENSE THAT TATTOOS SHOULD BE EXPENSIVE, PAINFUL AND PERMANENT. I JUST THINK IT'S CHEAP. I JUST THINK THAT IF YOU CAN ERASE IT AT WILL, YOU CHEAPEN THE WHOLE CONCEPT OF A TATTOO. THAT'S NOT A TATTOO. WHAT IS IT? FASHION "WHAT IF ONE DAY YOU'RE SICK OF YOUR TATTOO AND YOU WANT TO GET RID OF IT?" PEOPLE SHOULDN'T GO INTO IT THINKING THAT ITS SOMETHING THAT CAN JUST BE CHANGED AT WILL. MARTIN SCHMIEG SAYS THE FREEDOM 2 TATTOOS ARE PERMANENT...UNLESS YOU WANT GET RID OF THEM. BUT IN THESE TATTOO PARLORS IT IS THAT WORD "UNLESS," THAT GET'S UNDER THEIR SKIN.

LENGTH-00:32 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

ONE MAN FACES CHARGES FROM BOTH SARASOTA POLICE AND THE MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE AFTER A CHASE TUESDAY NIGHT. IT STARTED ON WHITFIELD AVENUE IN MANATEE COUNTY... WHEN DEPUTIES SPOTTED A VAN REPORTED STOLEN EARLIER BY SARASOTA POLICE.. DEPUTIES SAY 42-YEAR OLD NELSON ECHAZABAL TOOK OFF AFTER BEING SPOTTED. A HELICOPTER WAS CALLED IN TO FOLLOW THE VAN..DEPUTIES DROPPED BACK.. AND ECHAZABAL WAS FOLLOWED TO A PARKING LOT OFF U-S 301.. WHERE POLICE FOUND HIM HIDING BEHIND A DUMPSTER..HE'S CHARGED WITH GRAND THEFT, FLEEING TO ELUDE AND DRIVING WITH A SUSPENDED LICENSE..

LENGTH-00:47 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

LUNG CANCER PATIENTS HAVE A VERY HIGH RISK OF THEIR CANCER SPREADING TO THE BRAIN. IN FACT, 1 IN 5 PATIENTS ALREADY HAS SIGNS OF CANCER IN THE BRAIN AT THE TIME THEY ARE DIAGNOSED. TWO YEARS LATER, AND THE NUMBER CLIMBS TO 4 OF 5 PATIENTS. BUT DOCTORS HAVE DISCOVERED THAT PROACTIVE TREATMENT CAN HELP KEEP CANCER OUT OF THE BRAIN. IN A NEW STUDY, DOCTORS COMPARED 143 LUNG CANCER PATIENTS WHO RECEIVED RADIATION TO THE HEAD WITH THE SAME NUMBER OF PATIENTS WHO DID NOT HAVE PROTECTIVE RADIATION. THEY FOUND THAT THE RADIATION DRAMATICALLY REDUCED THE CHANCES THAT THE LUNG CANCER WOULD CAUSE PROBLEMS IN THE BRAIN 73 PER CENT. PATIENTS WHO HAD RADIATION ALSO HAD A BETTER SURVIVAL RATE - 27 PERCENT OF PATIENTS WERE ALIVE AFTER 1 YEAR COMPARED TO JUST 13 PERCENT OF PATIENTS WHO DID NOT HAVE BRAIN RADIATION. THE AUTHORS SAY THE BENEFITS HERE ARE CLEAR ENOUGH THAT PROTECTIVE HEAD RADIATION SHOULD BECOME THE STANDARD FOR LUNG CANCER PATIENTS WHOSE CANCER IS LIKELY TO SPREAD.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

A HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTY IS SHOT AND KILLED IN HIS PATROL CAR THIS MORNING. HE IS THE THIRD FLORIDA DEPUTY TO BE SHOT IN TEN DAYS. SERGEANT RON HARRISON HAD JUST FINISHED A D-U-I CHECKPOINT WHEN HE WAS ATTACKED. SWAT OFFICERS LATER KILLED THE SUSPECT, 24 YEAR OLD MICHAEL PHILLIPS, WHO HAD BARRICADED HIMSELF INSIDE A HOME. LAST WEEK TWO MIAMI DADE DEPUTIES WERE SHOT IN SEPARATE INCIDENTS. ONE OF THE MEN DIED. THE OTHER IS IN CRITICAL CONDITION.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-00:26

A RHODE ISLAND MAN ACCUSED OF THROWING POTENTIALLY TOXIC LIQUID INTO A WHALE TANK AT AN AQUARIUM. POLICE SAY THE 54 YEAR OLD TOSSED A MIXTURE OF IODINE, BAKING SODA AND SOMETHING ELSE INTO A 750-THOUSAND GALLON BELUGA WHALE TANK. HE SAYS HE DID IT TO PROTECT THE WHALES FROM "AGENT ORANGE," AND TO "KEEP THEM WARM." AGENT ORANGE WAS A TOXIC CHEMICAL USED IN THE VIETNAM WAR. THE MAN IS A VIETNAM VETERAN. HE'S NOW CHARGED WITH DISORDERLY CONDUCT AND CRIMINAL TRESPASSING THE WHALES WERE NOT HURT.

AUGUST 16, 2007

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

ALSO IN MANATEE COUNTY DEPUTIES ARE INVESTIGATING A TEEN'S CLAIM THAT HE WAS KIDNAPPED AT GUN POINT. HE CLAIMS IT HAPPENED LAST NIGHT IN THE 200 BLOCK OF 34TH AVENUE DRIVE EAST IN BRADENTON THE SIXTEEN YEAR OLD SAYS HE WAS FORCED INTO A SILVER CAR OCCUPIED THREE MEN AND A WOMAN -- ONE OF THEM ARMED WITH A HANDGUN. THE TEEN SAYS THEY DROVE AROUND FOR AWHILE BEFORE HE WAS RELEASED UNHARM. AUTHORITIES ARE STILL TRYING TO DETERMINE A MOTIVE FOR THE ALLEGED ABDUCTION.

LENGTH-01:40 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

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LENGTH-00:47 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME—5:00

A MAN HAS A 1 IN 6 CHANCE OF DEVELOPING PROSTATE CANCER OVER HIS LIFETIME. BUT MANY OF THESE CANCERS ARE SLOW GROWING AND MAY NOT NEED TREATMENT. HOWEVER, IT CAN BE DIFFICULT TO DETERMINE WHEN PROSTATE CANCER SHOULD BE TREATED AGGRESSIVELY, AND WHEN A MAN CAN TAKE A "WAIT AND SEE" APPROACH. A NEW STUDY SUGGESTS THERE MAY SOON BE A WAY TO HELP PREDICT A PATIENT'S PROGNOSIS WITH PROSTATE CANCER. DOCTORS HAVE IDENTIFIED A MOLECULE CALLED B7-H3 THAT APPEARS LINKED TO MORE SERIOUS CANCER. IN A STUDY OF MORE THAN 300 MEN WITH PROSTATE CANCER, THOSE WITH THE HIGHEST LEVELS OF B7-H3 WERE FOUR TIMES AS LIKELY TO HAVE THEIR CANCER WORSEN AS THOSE WITH THE LOWEST LEVELS. B7-H3 LIVES ON THE SURFACE OF PROSTATE CANCER CELLS, AND RESEARCHERS BELIEVE IT FIGHTS OFF IMMUNE SYSTEM CELLS THAT ARE TRYING TO ATTACK THE CANCER. DOCTORS SAY THAT MEN WITH HIGH LEVELS OF THIS MOLECULE SHOULD BENEFIT FROM PROMPT AND THOROUGH THERAPY, WHILE MEN WITH LOW LEVELS MAY BE ABLE TO OPT FOR LESS TREATMENT.

AUGUST 17, 2007

LENGTH-00:51 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

EVERY DAY, WE ARE MOVING CLOSER TO AN AGE OF PERSONALIZED MEDICINE, WHEN A PATIENT'S TREATMENT WILL BE TAILORED SPECIFICALLY TO HIS OR HER GENES. PROGRESS TOOK A BIG STEP FORWARD YESTERDAY, WHEN THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION ISSUED THE FIRST GENETIC-BASED SAFETY WARNING FOR THE POPULAR DRUG, WARFARIN. WARFARIN, ALSO KNOWN AS COUMADIN, IS BLOOD THINNING MEDICATION THAT MILLIONS OF AMERICANS TAKE TO PREVENT HEART ATTACKS AND STROKES. THE UPDATED WARNING COMES AFTER STUDIES THAT SHOWED PEOPLE WITH TWO SPECIFIC GENES ARE AT HIGHER RISK FOR BLEEDING WHEN TAKING WARFARIN. THE GENES CHANGE HOW THE DRUG IS PROCESSED IN THE BODY, SO THE FDA SAYS THAT PEOPLE AT RISK SHOULD START WITH LOWER THAN NORMAL DOSES OF WARFARIN. DOCTORS CAN IDENTIFY PEOPLE WITH THESE GENETIC VARIATIONS THROUGH A BLOOD TEST THAT COSTS BETWEEN \$125 AND \$500. WARFARIN CURRENTLY SENDS MORE PEOPLE TO THE HOSPITAL EACH YEAR THAN ANY OTHER DRUG EXCEPT INSULIN, SO DOCTORS ARE HOPING THAT USING A GENETIC TEST TO DETERMINE THE RIGHT DOSE WILL CUT DOWN ON THE NUMBER OF THESE EMERGENCIES .

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME- 5:30

A SUSPECTED SARASOTA BANK ROBBER'S RESUME LANDS HIM A NEW GIG -- EIGHT AND A HALF YEARS IN FEDERAL PRISON. ETNI ORTIZ DROPPED OFF HIS RESUME AT A TAMPA BANK HE ROBBED. HE'S ACCUSED OF ROBBING A SECOND BANK IN SARASOTA A WEEK LATER. ORTIZ WAS LATER ARRESTED IN ST. LUCIE COUNTY DRIVING A STOLEN SUV. A JUDGE SENTENCED HIM FOR THE TAMPA CRIME YESTERDAY.

AUGUST 18, 2007

LENGTH-04:06 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-LATE

MARILYN AND MICHAEL FELDMAN HAVE A BIG INVESTMENT SITTING ON THE INTRACOASTAL WATERWAY IN VENICE. THEY PAID BIG MONEY TO MAKE SURE IT'S PROTECTED IN A HURRICANE. THEY SIGNED UP WITH STORMBUSTERS.. FOR 60-THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF STORM PROTECTION."IF WE WERE THREATENED BY A STORM TODAY AND YOU HAD TO EVACUATE, WOULD YOU BE COMFORTABLE LEAVING? WOULD YOU BE COMFORTABLE KNOWING YOUR HOME IS PROTECTED? I HOPE IT'S PROTECTED, I'M NOT SURE." WITH THE TOUCH OF A BUTTON, THE FELDMAN'S MASSIVE STORM SHUTTERS ARE SUPPOSED TO SILENTLY SLIDE DWN. BUT THAT DOESN'T HAPPEN. SHUTTERS THAT ARE SUPPOSED TO BE UP..ARE STUCK DOWN..AND THERE ARE HOLES.. THAT COULD LET STRONG WINDS THROUGH.. THE FELDMAN'S SIGNED UP WITH STORMBUSTERS IN JULY OF 2005..TODAY, TWO YEARS LATER...THEY SAY THE WORK STILL HASN'T BEEN DONE RIGHT. IN GOOD FAITH WE GAVE THEM A DEPOSIT, THEY TOOK OUR MONEY, THEY PROMISED US OCTOBER FIRST THEY PROMISED US THIS JOB WOULD BE FINISHED AND THEY NEVER CAME THROUGH" " BUT THEY'RE NOT THE ONLY ONES. A 7 UNCOVERS INVESTIGATION FOUND MORE THAN 25 PERCENT OF STORMBUSTERS CUSTOMERS IN SARASOTA COUNTY ALONE ARE NOT HAPPY." PEOPLE LIKE JOHN AND PAT HEATH. THEY GAVE STORMBUSTERS

A MORE THAN 4-THOUSAND DOLLAR DEPOSIT IN JULY OF 2006. THEIR FINAL STORM SHUTTER JUST WENT IN..IN JULY OF 2007..ONE YEAR LATER. "IT DOESN'T MAKE YOU FEEL GOOD WHEN SOMEBODY HOLDS ON TO YOUR MONEY FOR 12 MONTHS WITHOUT GIVING YOU THE GOODS YOU PAID FOR, WE'LL HAVE TO WAIT AND SEE IF THE CRAFTSMANSHIP OR WORKMANSHIP IS OF ANY DECENT STANDARD" AND IT MAY NOT BE. THIS ACCORDIAN SHUTTER TO SHIELD THE HOUSE.. WON'T EVEN CLOSE. SHE TUGS.. PULLS SHOVES "I CAN'T DO IT" IT JUST WON'T WORK. THE BIG STORM CATCHER SCREEN DESIGNED TO REPEL FLYING DEBRIS.. AND EFFORTLESSLY EASE DOWN.. DOESN'T. MRS. HEATH.... CRANKS.. TWISTS.. AND SPINS...IT DOESN'T WORK RIGHT EITHER. SHE ENDS UP...JUST PULLING IT. THE HEATH'S FOUND STORMBUSTERS IN A GLOSSY HOME MAGAZINE AD. WHEN THEY TRIED TO CALL AND EMAIL..AFTER MONTHS OF WAITING.. THEY SAY THE COMPANY JUST GLOSSED OVER THEM."THEY NEVER EVER RETURNED OUR CALLS, MY CALLS. EVERYDAY, EVERYDAY FOR 2 WEEKS I CALLED THEM" THE ZAHN'S ENDED UP CALLING THE SARASOTA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE ON STORMBUSTERS. THEY WERE SO FRUSTRATED.. THEY WANTED THEIR MONEY BACK. WE WOULD LIKE OUR MONEY BACK, AND THE OWNER TOLD ME ABSOLUTELY NOT, YOU WILL NOT GET YOUR MONEY BACK I DON'T HAVE IT TO GIVE BACK TO YOU" AFTER WAITING FOR FIVE MONTHS.. THEY FINALLY GOT THEIR SHUTTERS. "IS IT DONE TO YOUR SATISFACTION? IT'S UP. SEE WHAT HAPPENS IN A HURRICANE, IF IT HOLDS. WE HAVE NOTHING TO TEST IT BY YET. ARE YOU CONCERNED IT MIGHT NOT? VERY CONCERNED." SARASOTA COUNTY BUILDING OFFICIALS ARE CONCERNED ABOUT STORMBUSTERS TOO. ACCORDING TO DOCUMENTS OBTAINED BY 7 UNCOVERS..THE COMPANY WAS DOING WORK BUT NOT GETTING IT INSPECTED TO MAKE SURE IT WAS DONE RIGHT. AS OF RIGHT NOW THE COMPANY HAS 37 JOBS WITHOUT INSPECTIONS. BUILDING OFFICIALS HAVE STARTED A LICENSE VIOLATION CASE. AND THERE'S MORE.. 7 UNCOVERS FOUND THIS GRAND THEFT COMPLIANT..A STORMBUSTERS EMPLOYEE WAS ACCUSED OF GOING INTO A CUSTOMER'S GARAGE AND STEALING WINDOWS. EVEN AFTER THE CUSTOMER PAID FOR THEM..WE WANTED TO ASK THE OWNERS OF STORMBUSTERS WHY THEY HAVE ALL THESE PROBLEMS. THE COMPANY IS OWNED BY THIS COUPLE.. DOUG AND BETH YORK. IN A STATEMENT TO 7 UNCOVERS BETH YORK SAYS HER COMPANY HAS DONE THOUSANDS OF INSTALLATIONS AND WORKED TO SATISFY EACH CUSTOMER.. SHE SAYS SHE'S SORRY FOR THE DISTRESS THE COMPANY HAS CAUSED CUSTOMERS..

AUGUST 19, 2007

LENGTH—00:41 ISSUE-EDUCATION 10 SHOW TIME-LATE

AND A REMINDER...SCHOOLS IN MANATEE COUNTY WILL OPERATE ON A NEW SCHEDULE STARTING TOMORROW.DISTRICT OFFICIALS ADOPTED THE MODIFIED INSTRUCTIONAL WEEK.. THE NEW SCHEDULE INCREASES CLASS TIME FOR STUDENTS. IT ALSO ADDS A BLOCK OF TIME EACH WEEK FOR TEACHERS TO WORK ON INSTRUCTIONAL PLANNING. UNDER THE NEW PLAN... STUDENTS WILL BE IN SCHOOL 30 MINUTES LONGER ON MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY. AND ON WEDNESDAYS, CLASSES ARE OUT 90 MINUTES EARLIER. MANATEE COUNTY TEACHERS PUSHED FOR THIS NEW SCHEDULE.. SAYING IT WOULD HELP THEM PROVIDE THE BEST EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A WOMAN IS ARRESTED OVER THE WEEKEND AFTER SHOOTING OFF A GUN IN PUBLIC. IT HAPPENED IN THE 1700 BLOCK OF 28TH AVENUE EAST IN BRADENTON YESTERDAY. A DEPUTY WAS RESPONDING TO A COMPLAINT WHEN SUDDENLY TWO SHOTS WENT OFF IN THE AREA. THE DEPUTIES VEHICLE WAS PEPPERED WITH A BIRD SHOT. DONI RIDDLE ADMITTED TO SHOOTING OFF SHOTS INTO THE AIR. SHE WAS CHARGED WITH DISCHARGING A FIREARM IN PUBLIC.

LENGTH-00:28 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

DOES THE "ZERO GRAMS TRANS FAT" LABEL ON SNACK FOODS, REALLY MEAN THERE'S NO ARTERY-CLOGGING FAT INSIDE? MAYBE, MAYBE NOT. FEDERAL REGULATIONS ALLOW FOOD LABELS TO SAY THERE'S ZERO GRAMS OF TRANS FAT AS LONG AS THERE'S LESS THAN HALF A GRAM PER SERVING. AND MANY PACKAGES CONTAIN MORE THAN WHAT'S CONSIDERED ONE SERVING. OFTEN PEOPLE EAT A LOT MORE THAN A SERVING AND THOSE SMALL AMOUNTS OF TRANS FAT CAN ADD UP. TO FIND OUT IF THERE MIGHT BE SOME TRANS FAT IN THE PRODUCT, SHOPPERS CAN CHECK THE LIST OF INGREDIENTS TO SEE IF PARTIALLY HYDROGENATED OIL, THE PRIMARY SOURCE OF TRANS FAT, IS INCLUDED.

LENGTH-00:48 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

ANTIOXIDANTS SUCH AS VITAMIN E, SELENIUM, AND ZINC HELP REPAIR DAMAGE TO CELLS, SO MANY DOCTORS BELIEVED THAT TAKING ANTIOXIDANT SUPPLEMENTS COULD REDUCE THE RISK FOR HEART DISEASE AND CANCER. BUT A NEW STUDY FROM FRANCE FINDS THAT THE SUPPLEMENTS MAY ACTUALLY INCREASE THE ODDS OF SKIN CANCER IN WOMEN. DOCTORS RANDOMLY ASSIGNED 13,000 PEOPLE TO TAKE EITHER AN ANTIOXIDANT SUPPLEMENT CONTAINING VITAMIN E, VITAMIN C, BETA CAROTENE, SELENIUM, AND ZINC, OR A PLACEBO PILL EACH DAY FOR MORE THAN SEVEN YEARS. THE RESULTS SHOWED THAT WOMEN TAKING THE SUPPLEMENT HAD A 68% GREATER CHANCE OF SKIN CANCER COMPARED TO WOMEN TAKING THE PLACEBO. THE ODDS OF MELANOMA, THE MOST SERIOUS FORM OF SKIN CANCER, WERE FOUR TIMES GREATER FOR WOMEN WHO USED THE VITAMINS. ANTIOXIDANTS DID NOT APPEAR TO ALTER SKIN CANCER RISK FOR MEN. RESEARCHERS THEORIZE THAT HORMONES CHANGE THE WAY THAT THE NUTRIENTS ARE PROCESSED IN THE BODY, WHICH WOULD EXPLAIN WHY WOMEN RESPOND DIFFERENTLY TO THE ANTIOXIDANTS.

LENGTH-01:38 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

JEAN NYGREN WAS JUST LOOKING FOR A LITTLE COMFORT AT NIGHT.. TO HELP WITH HER SPINAL, LEG AND BACK PROBLEMS. SHE SIGNED UP TO GET A CRAFT-MATIC ADJUSTABLE BED. SHE NEVER GOT THAT COMFORT. " WHEN I GOT ON IT, IT WAS AS

HARD AS A ROCK, IT WAS JUST UNCOMFORTABLE EVERYTHING ABOUT IT." NYGREN SAYS THE WHOLE DEAL TO BUY THE ADJUSTABLE BED WAS BAD. A SALESMAN CAME TO HER HOME.. SHE AGREED TO THE 4-THOUSAND DOLLAR PRICE TAG.. BUT WHEN SHE FINALLY GOT IT...THE MATTRESS WAS DIRTY.. UNCOMFORTABLE AND NEVER FIT HER RIGHT. "WHEN MY FEET WOULD SHOOT OUT AND GO OUT AND I WOULD GET THE HEAT OR THE COOL, IT WAS THE COOL WOULD GET IN THE SUMMER." HER FEET HUNG OFF THE BED...AND RIGHT OVER HER AIR CONDITIONING..WHEN SHE TRIED TO GET CRAFTMATIC TO COME AND GET THE BED AND GET HER MONEY BACK.. SHE GOT NOWHERE. "ALL OF THIS HAS TO DO WITH THE PROBLEM I HAD, LETTERS, LETTERS, LETTERS...NEVER HEARD ANYTHING BACK FROM THEM" MORE THAN 60 OTHER PEOPLE HAD PROBLEMS JUST LIKE BRADENTON'S JEAN NYGREN. SO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S ECONOMIC CRIMES DIVISION STARTED INVESTIGATING THE COMPANY. UNDER A SETTLEMENT WITH THE STATE.. CRAFTMATIC WILL NO LONGER BE ABLE TO PROMISE THEIR BEDS CAN HELP YOUR HEALTH.. SALESPeOPLE CAN'T USE HIGH PRESSURE TACTICS, OR LONG SALES PITCHES IN PEOPLE'S BEDROOMS, AND HAVE TO COME AND GET THEIR BEDS IF CUSTOMERS ARE NOT HAPPY. THE COMPANY WILL ALSO PAY 100-THOUSAND DOLLARS IN RESTITUTION TO FLORIDIANS WHO WERE PRESSURED INTO BUYING THE BEDS.. AND THAT FINALLY GIVES JEAN NYGREN A LITTLE COMFORT. "THEY WERE NOT A GOOD OUTFIT AT ALL, AS FAR AS I'M CONCERNED THE PUBLIC IS BETTER OFF WITHOUT THEM"

AUGUST 21, 2007

LENGTH-00:29 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THE NORTH PORT POLICE DEPARTMENT IS INVESTIGATING TWO PHARMACY ROBBERIES HIT BY THE SAME MAN. HERE IS SURVEILLANCE VIDEO OF THE MAN THEY'RE LOOKING FOR. HE ROBBED BOTH STORES WITH A KNIFE AND PAID A NOTE DEMANDING PRESCRIPTION DRUGS. THE FIRST ROBBERY HAPPENED IN MID JULY AT THE WALGREENS LOCATED IN THE 15-THOUSAND BLOCK OF TAMiami TRAIL.HE STRUCK AGAIN JUST OVER A WEEK AGO AT THE MEDICINE SHOPPE RIGHT DOWN THE STREET. WITNESSES SAY THE SUSPECT GOT INTO A CHRYSLER CONVERTIBLE SEBRING GRAY IN COLOR WITH A DARK GRAY ROOF TOP. THE FRONT LEFT TIRE WAS MISSING A HUBCAP.

LENGTH-01:20 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

HERE WE GO AGAIN.... ANOTHER POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS PRODUCT "MADE IN CHINA." NOT FISH, TOOTHPASTE NOR TOYS---BUT PHONEY COPIES OF A TEST USED BY MILLIONS OF AMERICAN DIABETICS. COUNTERFEIT BLOOD TESTING STRIPS SOLD UNDER THE BRAND NAMES ONETOUCH ULTRA AND ONETOUCH BASIC. JOHNSON AND JOHNSON MAKE THE STRIPS THAT HAVE BEEN COPIED. ONE CHINA TRADE EXPERT SAYS - DON'T BE SURPRISED. "CHINA IS A NEW ECONOMY, IT'S LEARNING IT'S WAY AS IT GOES. UNFORTUNATELY IT'S GROWING PAINS ARE DEADLY PAINS FOR THE WORLD." DIABETICS COUNT ON THE BLOOD STRIPS TO HELP MEASURE BLOOD SUGAR LEVELS. A FALSE READING AND THEY COULD INJECT THE WRONG DOSE OF INSULIN. JOHNSON

AND JOHNSON DISCOVERED THE BOGUS STRIPS LAST YEAR WHEN CUSTOMERS CALLED TO COMPLAIN. AND, AFTER A GLOBAL INVESTIGATION--THE COMPANY FOUND THE COUNTERFEIT STRIPS WERE IMPORTED FROM HALSON PHARMACEUTICAL - A COMPANY BASED IN CHINA. THE OWNER OF HALSON - HENRY FU IS NOW LOCKED UP IN A CHINESE PRISON - BUT IF YOU TAKE A LOOK AT WHAT HIS COMPANY PRODUCES IN AN ONLINE DIRECTORY-- IT'S NOT JUST TESTING STRIPS FOR DIABETICS. PREGNANCY TESTS, HIV TEST STRIPS AND MALARIA TEST STRIPS AS WELL. AN OMINOUS SIGN: "WE'RE GOING TO FIND MORE. IT'S A HUGE PUBLIC HEALTH PROBLEM ALMOST AS DANGEROUS AS INFECTIOUS DISEASES AND GROWING EVEN FASTER." HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES SECRETARY MIKE LEAVITT TOLD US HE DIDN'T HAVE ALL THE DETAILS OF THIS LATEST CONTROVERSY--BUT VOWED THINGS WILL CHANGE. "WE NEED TO COORDINATE, NOT ONLY AMONG GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, BUT WITH THOSE WHO SHIP AND THOSE WHO PRODUCE AND THOSE WHO RECEIVE AND THOSE WHO SELL." AS FOR CHINA'S REGULATORY AUTHORITY, A SPOKESWOMAN ADMITS: "WE CAN SEE THAT WEAKNESSES EXIST IN THE SUPERVISION OF EXPORTS OF DRUGS AND MEDICAL DEVICES" SHE INSISTED THINGS WOULD CHANGE.

LENGTH-01:39 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THE PRESSURE IS REALLY ON THESE DAYS. PRESSURE TO MEET PRODUCTION DEADLINES FOR THE COMING CHRISTMAS SEASON AND PRESSURE TO AVOID MAKING ANY MISTAKES. FACTORY OWNER Y.D KIM HAS NEVER HAD ONE OF HIS STUFFED ANIMALS RECALLED BUT HE ADMITS IT HAS TAKEN CONSTANT VIGILANCE WITH ALL HIS MATERIAL SUPPLIERS. SOMETHING THAT MANY FACTORY OWNERS IN CHINA FAIL TO DO. HERE: CERTIFICATES OF QUALITY AND SAFETY ARE REQUIRED FOR EVERY BIT OF RAW MATERIAL. . AND EVEN THEN EVERY SQUARE INCH IS EXAMINED BY HAND. EVERY SHRED OF STUFFING EVERY PLASTIC EYE INSPECTORS EXAMINE EVERY STAGE OF PRODUCTION. LITERALLY WITH A FINE TOOTH COMB. THERE'S EVEN A METAL DETECTOR TO SCAN FOR ANY DANGEROUS PINS OR NEEDLES LEFT INSIDE. KIM REFUSES TO SACRIFICE QUALITY OR SAFETY STANDARDS JUST TO MAKE A LITTLE MORE PROFIT BUT HE NOW FEARS EVEN HIS GOOD REPUTATION WILL BE TARNISHED BY THE RECENT RASH OF CHINESE PRODUCT RECALLS. HE HAS GOOD REASON TO WORRY: "I THINK CHINA'S IMAGE HAS BEEN HURT VERY BADLY. IT'S A FEEDING FRENZY AROUND THE WORLD IN THE MEDIA." JIM MCGREGOR HAS SPENT YEARS DOCUMENTING THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE CHINESE ECONOMY AND WHILE MUCH HAS IMPROVED, HE SAYS CHINA STILL DOESN'T HAVE EFFECTIVE CONSUMER SAFETY REGULATIONS OR ENFORCEMENT. THEN THERE'S THE PRESSURE FROM THE WALMARTS AND K-MARTS OF THE WORLD... CONSTANTLY PUSHING FOR LOWER PRICES LEADING MANY FACTORIES TO CUT CORNERS. "IF YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE EVER-DECREASING PRICES OF PRODUCTS, YOU ARE GOING TO GET SECOND-RATE MATERIAL, SECOND-RATE WORKMANSHIP, AND YOU ARE GOING TO GET SOME DANGEROUS THINGS IN THAT MIX." THERE IS AN OLD SAYING IN CHINA SIMILAR TO 'BUYER BEWARE.' " IF SOMETHING IS TOO CHEAP IT CAN'T BE ANY GOOD. AT THE GEE TOY FACTORY THEY SEEM TO TAKE THAT TO HEART. THEY ONLY HOPE A SKEPTICAL WORLD WILL RECOGNIZE ... THAT A "MADE IN CHINA" LABEL CAN STILL BE STICHED ONTO PRODUCTS HERE THAT ARE WELL-MADE AND SAFE FOR EVERYONE.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A MANATEE COUNTY GRAND JURY INDICTS THOMAS FAST FOR MURDER. FAST IS ACCUSED OF KILLING HIS 60 YEAR OLD STEPMOTHER, SUSAN LAST MONTH. TODAY'S INDICTMENT NOW ALLOWS STATE PROSECUTORS TO SEEK THE DEATH PENALTY AGAINST HIM. DEPUTIES SAY FAST KILLED AND DISMEMBERED HIS STEPMOTHER'S BODY.. AND LEFT IT IN A LAKEWOOD RANCH RETENTION POND.

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

TWO MEN IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY ARE IN JAIL, CHARGED WITH SETTING A CAR ON FIRE. DEPUTIES SAY THE MEN TORCHED A 1991 MERCURY PARKED IN A DRIVEWAY ON HERNANDO AVENUE. WITNESSES SAW TWO MEN SMASH THE CAR WINDOW, UNLOCK THE DOOR, DUMP A FIVE GALLON CONTAINER INSIDE, AND THEN SET IT ON FIRE. DEPUTIES LATER ARRESTED NIGEL HINKSON AND VIRGIL JEROME ROUSE.

LENGTH-00:15 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

BE CAREFUL WALKING ON 9TH STREET EAST IN BRADENTON IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT. A MAN WALKING THERE THIS MORNING WAS ROBBED BY A PASSING PICKUP. THE VICTIM SAYS IT PULLED UP, A MAN JUMPED OUT WITH A LEADA PIPE AND TOOK HIS MONEY AND JEWELRY.

LENGTH-00:34 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

DEPUTIES ARREST A PUNTA GORDA MAN WHO THEY SAY BRANDISHED A KNIFE, AND ROBBED A WAFFLE HOUSE HE ONCE WORKED AT EARLY THIS MORNING. WITNESSES SAY THE MAN GRABBED MONEY OUT OF THE CASH REGISTER AT THE WAFFLE HOUSE IN 2600 BLOCK OF JONES LOOP ROAD AT I-75 AND THEN FLED THE RESTAURANT. A SHERIFF'S REPORT SAYS THE MAN WAS IDENTIFIED ASA FORMER EMPLOYEE AT THE RESTAURANT...50-YEAR-OLD JOHN ALLEN HEPTINSTALL WHO MANAGERS SAY WAS FIRED LAST JUNE FOR STEALING CHECKS. DEPUTIES WERE ABLE TO TRACK HIM DOWN, POSITIVELY IDENTIFY HIM AS THE ROBBER. HEPTINSTALL WAS TAKEN TO THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY JAIL AND CHARGED WITH ROBBERY WITH A WEAPON.

AUGUST 22, 2007

LENGTH-00:32 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THERE'S MORE EVIDENCE LINKING OBESITY TO A VIRUS. RESEARCHERS FROM LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY HAVE FOUND THAT WHEN HUMAN STEM CELLS WERE EXPOSED TO A COMMON VIRUS THEY TURNED INTO FAT CELLS AND INCREASED IN SIZE. THIS ISN'T NECESSARILY A CURE...BUT IT MAY EXPLAIN WHY SOME PEOPLE PUT ON WEIGHT. RESEARCHERS TOOK FAT TISSUE FROM PEOPLE WHO HAD LIPOSUCTION, REMOVED ADULT STEM CELLS AND EXPOSED THE CELLS TO A VIRUS IN THE LAB. THERE, MORE THAN HALF THE CELLS TURNED INTO FAT CELLS AND ALSO ACCUMULATED FATS. IN THE END, IF A VIRAL CAUSE OF OBESITY CAN BE SHOWN, A VACCINE COULD BE DEVELOPED TO PREVENT THE VIRUS FROM MAKING PEOPLE HEAVY. BUT IT WOULDN'T HELP PEOPLE WHO ALREADY ARE OBESE.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

THE ELDEST OF THREE BOYS FROM DAYTONA BEACH CHARGED IN THE BEATING OF A HOMELESS MAN PLEADED NO CONTEST TO AGGRAVATED BATTERY TODAY. THE STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE SAYS PROSECUTORS WILL RECOMMEND THAT 17-YEAR-OLD JEREMY WOODS BE SENTENCED TO 15-MONTHS IN STATE PRISON AND NEARLY 4-YEARS PROBATION. SENTENCING IS SCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER SIXTH. WOODS AND TWO 10-YEAR-OLD BOYS ARE CHARGED WITH BEATING JOHN D'AMICO SO BADLY HE NEEDED RECONSTRUCTIVE FACIAL SURGERY.

AUGUST 23, 2007

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

BRADENTON POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING ANOTHER POSSIBLE GANG RELATED SHOOTING INCIDENT. IT HAPPENED AROUND 9-30 LAST NIGHT ON 20TH STREET EAST AND 15TH AVENUE EAST IN BRADENTON. AS WE REPORTED LAST NIGHT, EMERGENCY OFFICIALS TELL US THREE PEOPLE WERE SHOT. TWO OF THEM SUFFERING SERIOUS INJURIES. AT LEAST ONE OF THE VICTIMS WAS AIRLIFTED TO BAYFRONT MEDICAL CENTER.

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

BRADENTON POLICE ARE INVESTIGATING ANOTHER POSSIBLE GANG RELATED SHOOTING INCIDENT. IT HAPPENED AROUND 9-30 LAST NIGHT ON 20TH STREET EAST AND 15TH AVENUE EAST IN BRADENTON. AS WE REPORTED LAST NIGHT, EMERGENCY OFFICIALS TELL US THREE PEOPLE WERE SHOT. TWO OF THEM SUFFERING SERIOUS INJURIES. AT LEAST ONE OF THE VICTIMS WAS AIRLIFTED TO BAYFRONT MEDICAL CENTER.

LENGTH-01:35

ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

NEW MOM MELISSA CHRISTENSON RUNS MARATHONS AND EATS HER VEGETABLES. BUT WHEN THE HEALTHY 30-YEAR-OLD OPENS THIS ENVELOPE, SHE'LL DISCOVER SHE IS A CANDIDATE FOR HEART DISEASE, DIABETES AND OSTEOPOROSIS. WARNINGS STRAIGHT FROM HER OWN DNA. IT DOESN'T MEAN FOR SURE THAT YOU'LL GET ANY OF THESE HEALTH CONDITIONS. THERE ARE THINGS YOU CAN DO TO STAY HEALTHY REGARDLESS OF YOUR GENETIC MARKERS MELISSA: "THAT'S GOOD." MELISSA IS ONE OF THE FIRST FEW HUNDRED AMERICANS TO SEE A PERSONAL, PRACTICAL BENEFIT FROM THE HUMAN GENOME PROJECT. SINCE SCIENCE CAN NOW MAP THE DNA THAT MAKES YOU YOU, DOCTORS CAN NOW PINPOINT THE GENETIC TRAITS THAT MIGHT MAKE YOU SICK IF YOU'RE NOT CAREFUL "WE COULD IDENTIFY PEOPLE WHO ARE AT RISK EARLY IN THEIR LIFE-LONG BEFORE THEY BECOME OVERWEIGHT OR BECOME INACTIVE OR SMOKE CIGARETTES." A SIMPLE BLOOD TEST CHECKS FOR EIGHT DIFFERENT GENETIC FLAWS THAT OFTEN GIVE RISE TO THE EIGHT DISEASES THAT KILL AND COST THE MOST. AMONG THEM, SKIN, LUNG AND COLON CANCER, HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE AND HEART DISEASE. SUSAN ALFORD PRINCIPLE RESEARCHER HENRY FORD HOSPITAL "I'M HOPING WE FIND THAT THIS INFORMATION REALLY HITS HOME WITH PEOPLE AND WHERE MAYBE BEFORE THEY WEREN'T AS COMMITTED, NOW HERE IT IS IN BLACK AND WHITE AND ITS REALITY SO THEY FEEL MORE MOTIVATED" STANDUP THE IDEA IS TO INSPIRE HEALTHY PEOPLE TO STAY THAT WAY SO RIGHT NOW THEY ONLY TEST PEOPLE FOR PREVENTABLE DISEASES. BUT THIS IS ALSO AN EXPERIMENT TO SEE HOW MUCH GRIM INFORMATION A PERSON ACTUALLY WANTS. WEIR: IF THEY OFFERED TO TEST YOU FOR ALZHEIMER'S OR LEUKEMIA OR VERY GRIM INCURABLE DISEASES WOULD YOU WANT TO KNOW?" "I DON'T THINK I WOULD BECAUSE IT MIGHT BE SCARY. I'M A WORRIER." DOCTORS ARE ANXIOUS TO KNOW WHAT EMOTIONAL BARRIERS STAND BETWEEN PATIENTS AND TECHNOLOGY. BUT FOR MELISSA, THIS KNOWLEDGE IS POWER. AND THE GENERIC ADVICE TO "TAKE YOUR VITAMINS AND EXERCISE" NOW HAS VERY NEW AND VERY PERSONAL MEANING.

LENGTH-00:19

ISSUE-DRUGS 11

SHOW TIME-5:00

AN ENGLEWOOD MAN IS BUSTED IN AN UNDERCOVER DRUG BUY.. 35-YEAR-OLD CHRISTOPHER PREW FACES MULTIPLE CHARGES OF THE SALE AND DELIVERY OF ROXICODONE AND OXYCONTIN. NARCOTICS DETECTIVES SAY THEY MADE THREE UNDERCOVER DRUG BUYS FROM DREW.. PREW WAS ARRESTED LAST NIGHT ON BLUEBIRD LANE IN ENGLEWOOD. HE'S IN THE CHARLOTTE COUNTY JAIL FACING SIX FELONY CHARGES.

LENGTH-01:15

ISSUE-HEALTH 5

SHOW TIME-5:00

WHETHER IT'S PEOPLE OR ANIMALS, WE ALL GET ITCHY, AND SCRATCHING DOESN'T NECESSARILY HELP. MOLECULAR BIOLOGIST ZHOU-FENG CHEN (JOH FUNG CHEN) AND COLLEAGUES AT WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY IN SAINT LOUIS MAY HAVE FOUND A

REMEDY WHILE LOOKING FOR A TREATMENT FOR CHRONIC PAIN. THEY TESTED MICE THAT LACKED THE GENE "G-R-P-R", WHICH NORMALLY HELPS TRANSMIT MESSAGES IN THE SPINAL CORD. #WE MEASURE DIFFERENT KINDS OF PAIN #RESPONSE AND WE DON'T SEE MUCH #SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE BETWEEN, #IN TERMS OF PAIN BEHAVIOR." "WE MEASURE DIFFERENT KIND OF PAIN RESPONSE AND WE DON'T SEE MUCH SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE BETWEEN IN TERMS OF PAIN BEHAVIOR." BUT WHEN THEY INJECTED A CHEMICAL THAT ACTS LIKE G-R-P-R INTO THE MICE, THEY BEGAN TO SCRATCH. THE MORE THEY INJECTED, THE MORE THE MICE SCRATCHED. #THOSE MICE WOULD BEGIN TO SCRATCH A LOT, #SCRATCH THEIR BODY VERY VIGOROUSLY. #YEAH, THAT'S THE FIRST SIGN AND THE FIRST #CLUE WE HAD WELL, THIS GENE MAY BE #INVOLVED IN ITCHY SENSATION." "THOSE MICE WOULD BEGIN TO SCRATCH A LOT, SCRATCH THEIR BODY VERY VIGOROUSLY YEAH, THAT'S THE FIRST SIGN AND THE FIRST CLUE WE HAD WELL, THIS GENE MAY BE INVOLVED IN ITCHY SENSATION." CHEN THEN TESTED SEVERAL ITCHY SUBSTANCES IN MICE THAT DID AND DID NOT HAVE THE GENE. MICE WITHOUT G-R-P-R SCRATCHED SIGNIFICANTLY LESS. THEY THINK THAT BLOCKING THE GENE WITH A CHEMICAL MAY TRANSLATE INTO A CURE FOR CASES OF CHRONIC ITCHING. #WELL, THAT'S OUR HOPE. SO THIS ACTUALLY, #THE DISCOVERY OF THE GRPR IS ACTUALLY #JUST THE VERY FIRST STEP." "WELL, THAT'S OUR HOPE. SO, THIS ACTUALLY-- THE DISCOVERY OF THE GRPR-- IS ACTUALLY JUST THE VERY FIRST STEP." IT'S RESEARCH THAT'S SCRATCHING THE SURFACE OF WHY WE ITCH.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SDHOW TIME-5:30

A PORT CHARLOTTE MAN IS NABBED ON *50* CHILD PORN CHARGES. 59-YEAR-OLD RICHARD BROWER IS CHARGED WITH 50 COUNTS OF POSSESSION OF CHILD PORNOGRAPHY. THE NATIONAL CENTER FOR MISSING & EXPLOITED CHILDREN CONTACTED THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE TO SAY THAT BROWER WAS TRANSMITTING IMAGES OF CHILD PORNOGRAPHY WITH A SUSPECT THEY HAD IN VERMONT. BROWER WAS ARRESTED...HE'S BEING HELD ON 250-THOUSAND DOLLAR BOND. SHERIFF'S OFFICIALS SAY MORE CHARGES ARE POSSIBLE.

LENGTH-02:01 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

"DEPUTIES SAY THE PRICE OF COPPER IS ON THE RISE, SO COPPER THEFTS ARE ALSO ON THE RISE. DEPUTIES SAY THE PROOF THAT THIS IS SO RAMPANT, THE FACT THAT SOMEONE WOULD STEAL FROM A PLACE THAT'S HERE TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY." "IT'S PRETTY SHOCKING." STAFF AT SARASOTA'S GULF GATE LIBRARY SAYS A LITTLE BIT OF ITS CHARM WAS STOLEN..."YOU THINK OF A LIBRARY AS A NEIGHBORHOOD SORT OF TREASURE, SO YOU CAN'T IMAGINE SOMEONE WOULD PULL UP AND BASICALLY PULL DOWN THE PIECES OF THE BUILDING." SARABETH KALAJIAN SAYS SOMEONE STOLE PARTS OF THE LIBRARY'S COPPER ROOF AND GUTTERS. DAYS LATER... THE COPPER CROOKS STRUCK AGAIN.. BUT THIS TIME, AN UNEXPECTED STAFF JUST NOTICED HOW HOT THE LIBRARY HAD GOTTEN."WHEN THE AIR CONDITIONING UNIT WASN'T WORKING, NO ONE THOUGHT IT WAS BECAUSE THERE WAS AN ACTUAL PIECE OF AN AIR CONDITIONING UNIT WAS MISSING." THIS TIME, DEPUTIES WERE CALLED...THEY ESTIMATED 25-HUNDRED DOLLARS WORTH OF COPPER, STOLEN FROM THE A-C UNIT. PRETTY PRICEY... BUT DEPUTIES SAY THE LIBRARY ISN'T THE ONLY PLACE DEALING WITH COPPER THEFTS. "WE'VE HAD A RASH

OF THEM. WE'VE HAD INVESTIGATORS OUT ALL HOURS OF THE NIGHT, LOOKING FOR THESE PEOPLE." ABC 7 WAS THE FIRST TO SHOW YOU THIS SURVEILLANCE VIDEO LAST MONTH FROM A BRADENTON INSTALLATION BUSINESS.... COPPER THIEVES IN ACTION. THE BUSINESS OWNER HERE ESTIMATED 50-THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF COPPER HAS BEEN STOLEN FROM THEM THIS YEAR. BUT DEPUTIES SAY ...THE MOST LIKELY PLACE A COPPER CROOK WILL HIT IS YOUR A-C UNIT... JUST LIKE THEY GOT AT THE LIBRARY.. DEPUTIES SAY IT'S TOUGH TO CATCH THESE GUYS... BECAUSE TO YOU AND I, THE CROOKS COULD LOOK LIKE THEY'RE JUST DOING WORK ON THE A-C UNITS. "PEOPLE THINK THEY'RE DOING SOME WORK IN THAT BUSINESS, AND REALLY NOT DOING THEFT SO IT'S TOUGH TO CATCH SOMEONE IN THE ACT." "LT. CHUCK LESALTATO SAYS AC UNITS ARE THE BIGGEST TARGET, BUT THERE'S NOTHING WE CAN REALLY DO TO SECURE THEM. HE SAYS NEIGHBORS NEED TO WATCH OUT FOR NEIGHBORS. IF YOU SEE SOMEONE HAVING WORK DONE, CALL YOUR NEIGHBOR TO MAKE SURE A REPAIR PERSON SUPPOSED TO BE THERE. IF NO ONE'S HOME, CALL THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE. SOMEONE WILL COME TO MAKE SURE THE REPAIR PERSON IS LEGITIMATE.

LENGTH-00:25 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-11:00

A BUST ON THE HIGH SEAS...BUT THIS TIME.. THE DRUGS WERE PARTIALLY UNDERWATER. ABOUT 352-MILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF COCAINE WERE SEIZED FROM A SEMI-SUBMERGED SUBMARINE IN THE EASTERN PACIFIC. BEFORE THE BUST, THE U-S NAVY WAS ALERTED THE SHIP MAY BE CARRYING DRUGS. BUT WHEN THEY APPROACHED.. THE FOUR PEOPLE ON BOARD TRIED TO SINK THE SHIP AND THE DRUGS. THE SUSPECTED SMUGGLERS WERE ARRESTED AND THE DRUGS CONFISCATED AS THEY FLOATED TO THE SURFACE.

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A MAN ACCUSED OF TRAFFICKING DRUGS.. IS NABBED AFTER TRYING TO RUN A TOLL ON INTERSTATE 75. A TROOPER STOPPED CHRISTIAN GARCIA AFTER HE TRIED TO AVOID PAYING A TOLL NEAR NAPLES.. WHILE SEARCHING GARCIA'S CAR.. THE TROOPER DISCOVERED THREE GARBAGE BAGS FULL OF MARIJUANA IN THE TRUNK. THE MIAMI MAN FACES SEVERAL CHARGES.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-11:00

WHAT'S IN THIS BOTTLE PROMISES TO GIVE YOU YOUR DAILY DOSE OF VITAMINS, AND LOOSE WEIGHT TOO. IT'S CALLED BLUEPRINT CLEANSE. TWO BROOKLYN WOMEN CAME UP WITH THE IDEA. YOU DRINK THE BLENDED JUICE FOR 3 TO 6 DAYS. DURING THAT TIME, YOU CAN'T HAVE ANY OTHER FOOD. THE JUICE HAS SPINACH, KALE, CUCUMBER, AND CELERY... FLAVORED WITH A LITTLE BIT OF GREEN APPLE AND LEMON. THE CLEANSING IS SUPPOSED TO EXPEL ALCOHOL, CAFFEINE AND OTHER TOXINS. IT COSTS BETWEEN 65 AND 75 DOLLAR A DAY.

AUGUST 24, 2007

LENGTH—00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A MAN WANTED IN CONNECTION WITH THE MURDER OF A SARASOTA WOMAN IS BACK ON THE SUNCOAST. 27-YEAR OLD ADAM NARDUCCI ARRESTED IN NEW JERSEY EARLIER THIS MONTH WAS EXTRADITED BACK TO SARASOTA WEDNESDAY. HE IS THE SECOND SUSPECT IN THE MURDER OF 53-YEAR OLD MARLYS WELP. HER BODY WAS FOUND STUFFED IN A SUITCASE AND FLOATING IN THE PEACE RIVER. 36 YEAR OLD SCOTT HAAS CONFESSED TO THE MURDER AFTER HE WAS ARRESTED LAST MONTH.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

DEPUTIES NEED YOUR HELP TO FIND A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER WHO DIDN'T SHOW UP IN COURT THIS WEEK. AUTHORITIES SAY 51-YEAR-OLD CHARLIE THOMAS HAS A LONG HISTORY OF DRUG AND VIOLENCE CHARGES... MOST OF THEM IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY. INVESTIGATORS THINK HE IS MOST LIKELY IN CHARLOTTE OR DESOTO COUNTY. HIS STREET NAME IS "KNAPP." HE IS 6 FEET TALL, 195 POUNDS, AND HAS WORKED AS A LABORER.

LENGTH-00:57 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

THOUSANDS OF HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE ATHLETES WILL TAKE TO THE FIELD THIS FALL. WHILE IT'S RARE, EXPERTS SAY BETWEEN 50 AND A HUNDRED WILL EXPERIENCE SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST...THE LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH AMONG YOUNG ATHLETES. SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST IS WHEN YOUR HEART ACTUALLY STOPS AND YOU'RE HAVING NO BLOOD PUMPING TO YOUR BRAIN OR YOUR VITAL ORGANS. IF IT'S NOT CORRECTED YOU WILL DIE. TO PREVENT DEATH, THE NATIONAL ATHLETIC TRAINERS ASSOCIATION SAYS YOU MUST ACT QUICKLY. IDEALLY SHOULD HAVE ACCESS TO A DEFIBRILLATOR WITHIN THREE TO FIVE MINUTES OF THE TIME THE YOUNG PERSON COLLAPSES. FOR EVERY MINUTE THE DEFIBRILLATION IS DELAYED, THEIR CHANCE OF SURVIVAL DECREASES APPROXIMATELY 10-PERCENT. THE ATHLETIC TRAINERS GROUP SAYS COACHES AND STAFF SHOULD KNOW HOW TO USE A DEFIBRILLATOR AND KNOW C-P-R. THEY ALSO SHOULD KNOW THE SIGNS AND CAUSES OF SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST. THEY INCLUDE SUDDEN COLLAPSE, SEIZURES, BEING GENETICALLY PRE-DISPOSED OR BEING HIT IN THE CHEST BY A BALL OR ANOTHER PLAYER. WHILE ADULTS MAY HAVE WARNING SIGNS LIKE CHEST PAIN, NAUSEA OR DIFFICULTY BREATHING, YOUNG ATHLETES MAY NOT EXPERIENCE ANY SYMPTOMS PRIOR TO SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST.

LENGTH-00:55 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-5:00

OSTEOPOROSIS AND LOW BONE DENSITY ARE MAJOR HEALTH PROBLEMS AMONG OLDER PEOPLE, AFFECTING AS MANY AS 10 MILLION AMERICANS. STUDIES ON CALCIUM AND VITAMIN D SUPPLEMENTS HAVE PRODUCED CONFLICTING RESULTS ON WHETHER THESE MINERALS CAN IMPROVE BONE HEALTH. BUT A NEW REVIEW OF THE BEST QUALITY STUDIES CONCLUDES THAT CALCIUM SUPPLEMENTS CAN HELP SENIORS AVOID BONE BREAKS. RESEARCHERS EXAMINED 29 STUDIES THAT RANDOMLY ASSIGNED PEOPLE OVER AGE 50 TO TAKE CALCIUM SUPPLEMENTS OR A PLACEBO. THEY FOUND THAT CALCIUM - WITH OR WITHOUT VITAMIN D ADDED - CUT BONE FRACTURES BY 12 PER CENT. THE SUPPLEMENTS ALSO LOWERED THE RISK OF BONE LOSS IN THE HIP BY 46 PER CENT . PEOPLE WHO WERE THE MOST FAITHFUL IN TAKING THE SUPPLEMENTS HAD THE BIGGEST BENEFITS, AS DID PEOPLE WHO WERE MORE ELDERLY OR WHO HAD LOW LEVELS OF CALCIUM AT THE START. THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT RECOMMENDS THAT PEOPLE OVER 50 RECEIVE 1200 MILLIGRAMS OF CALCIUM EACH DAY. DON'T EXCEED THIS LIMIT WITHOUT FIRST TALKING TO A DOCTOR BECAUSE TOO MUCH CALCIUM CAN CAUSE UNPLEASANT SIDE EFFECTS SUCH AS KIDNEY STONES.

LENGTH-00:26 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

AN OLD MURDER CASE IS SOLVED WHEN SKELETAL REMAINS ARE FOUND IN GLADES COUNTY. 31-YEAR-OLD HADASSAH BAKEEV, THE VICTIM'S WIFE....AND HER SISTER, 33-YEAR-OLD TABITHA LABAY WERE ARRESTED AT THEIR HOME LAST NIGHT IN MUSE. THEY ARE BOTH CHARGED WITH ONE COUNT OF FIRST-DEGREE PREMEDITATED MURDER. INVESTIGATORS SAY THE TWO WOMAN CONTRACTED A THIRD PERSON TO KILL THE HUSBAND IN LEE COUNTY. THEY DISPOSED OF HIS BODY IN A SHALLOW GRAVE. BOTH WOMEN WERE BOOKED INTO THE GLADES COUNTY JAIL.

LENGTH-00:33 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:30

HERE'S SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT BEFORE YOU SLIP ON YOUR FLIP FLOPS. THE SOMETIMES RUBBER, SOMETIMES LEATHER, SOMETIMES CLOTH FOOTWEAR MIGHT BE DOING MORE HARM THAN GOOD. SOME PODIATRISTS CLAIM SOME FLIP FLOP FANS ARE PAYING A PAINFUL PRICE. "WHEN THE SUMMER MONTHS BEGIN, WE GET SO BUSY WITH PEOPLE WITH HEEL PAIN, ACHILLES TENDON PAIN, PAIN ON THE BALL OF THEIR FOOT AND IN MOST CASES WE CAN ATTRIBUTE THAT TO THE USE OF SANDALS AND FLIP FLOPS." IF YOU'RE NOT WILLING TO COMPROMISE ON STYLE, DOCTORS SAY GET FLIP FLOPS WITH THICKER HEELS, OR TRY STRETCHING YOUR CALVES TO HELP RELIEVE SORE FEET AND LEG MUSCLES.

LENGTH-00:16 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

A MURDER- SUICIDE IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY. SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES SAY IT HAPPENED AROUND 3-30 THIS AFTERNOON AT A HOME ON ARMADA ROAD IN EL JOBEAN. DEPUTIES FOUND TWO PEOPLE DEAD INSIDE THE HOME..INVESTIGATORS BELIEVE 29 YEAR OLD LUKE BISHOP, SHOT AND KILLED HIS WIFE, THEN TOOK HIS OWN LIFE..

LENGTH-01:31 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

AS HE WALKED INTO THE CITRUS COUNTY COURTROOM, 48 YEAR OLD JOHN COUEY NEVER LOOKED UP. EARLIER THIS WEEK, COUEY TOLD SOMEONE IDENTIFIED AS HIS AUNT, THAT HE ALREADY KNEW WHAT SENTENCE THE JUDGE WAS GOING TO GIVE HIM. THE CONVERSATION WAS RECORDED AT THE JAIL "WE ALREADY KNOW WHAT HE'S GONNA DO. YEAH, WELL, ME TOO, BUT YOU KNOW, GOD'S IN CONTROL OF EVERYTHING. OH, I JUST DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT. IT'S IN HIS HANDS. THAT'S WHY I DON'T LET IT BOTHER ME." COUEY HAD NOTHING TO SAY DURING TODAY'S HOURLONG HEARING... BUT JUDGE RIC HOWARD DID. HE WENT THROUGH NEARLY EVERY DETAIL OF HOW COUEY KIDNAPPED, RAPED, AND BURIED ALIVE NINE YEAR OLD JESSICA LUNSFORD...HE EXPLAINED HOW AFTER THREE DAYS OF KEEPING JESSICA IN HIS HOUSE... AND REPEATEDLY SEXUALLY ASSAULTING HER... COUEY TOLD JESSICA HE WAS LETTING HER GO BACK HOME... BUT COUEY DIDN'T WANT ANYONE TO SEE HER. COUEY PERSUADED JESSICA TO GET INTO A PLASTIC BAG.. HE KNOTTED ANOTHER TRASH BAG OVER THE LITTLE GIRL'S HEAD... PLACED HER IN A HOLE.. AND SHOVELED DIRT ON HER. JUDGE - "SHE FUTILELY POKED TWO OF HER FINGERS THROUGH THE INNER BAG INDICATING SHE WAS TRYING TO DIG HER WAY OUT OF WHAT BECAME HER GRAVE. TODAY HER DAD SAT TALL AND STRAIGHT, WITH TEARS STREAMING... AS THE SENTENCE WAS FINALLY HANDED DOWN TO THE MAN WHO HAD KILLED HIS CHILD."JUDGE - YOU'RE SENTENCED TO DEATH." COUEY WAS QUICKLY ESCORTED OUT OF THE COURT... THE LUNSFORD FAMILY EMBRACED... AND MARK... THE MAN WHO'S WORKED TIRELESSLY TO HAVE FLORIDA LAWS CHANGED SINCE HIS DAUGHTER'S MURDER... HAD THIS TO SAY. "I THANK THE DETECTIVES AND THE DEPUTIES, YOU DID WHAT YOU WERE SUPPOSED TO DO. AND THE COURT SYSTEM DID WHAT IT WAS SUPPOSED TO DO. AND WE WON. JESSIE WON. BUT THE PROBLEM IS STILL GROWING. CHILDREN ARE STILL BEING MOLESTED. SEX OFFENDERS AND PREDATORS ARE STILL BEING RELEASED. JUSTICE WAS SERVED FOR THIS LITTLE GIRL, BUT WHAT ABOUT THE REST OF THEM? WHAT ABOUT THE ONES THAT SURVIVE? YOU CAN'T DO ANYTHING TO BRING MY DAUGHTER BACK, BUT YOU CAN DO EVERYTHING TO SAVE THESE OTHER KIDS."

AUGUST 25, 2007

LENGTH-00:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-LATE

BUGLERS BREAK INTO A PALMETTO HOME AND ATTACK TWO PEOPLE INSIDE. IT HAPPENED AROUND 3 IN THE MORNING IN THE 600 BLOCK OF 45TH STREET EAST. MANATEE SHERIFF OFFICIALS SAY THREE MEN KICKED IN THE FRONT DOOR.... PISTOL WHIPPED ONE PERSON AND ..SHOT THE OTHER IN THE CHEST. BOTH VICTIMS WERE TAKEN TO AREA HOSPITALS AND ARE IN STABLE CONDITION. DETECTIVES ARE STILL INVESTIGATING.

AUGUST 26, 2007

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AUGUST 27, 2007

LENGTH-00:31 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

NO WORD ON THE CONDITION OF A GUNMAN WHO PROMPTED A MANHUNT LAST NIGHT IN SARASOTA. AS WE FIRST REPORTED LAST NIGHT, IT APPARENTLY STARTED AROUND SEVEN O'CLOCK WHERE THE SUSPECT WAS RIDING A TAXI TO FRUITVILLE AND BENEVA ROADS. POLICE SAY WHEN THEY ARRIVED THE MAN PULLED OUT A GUN AND TOOK OFF RUNNING; THE CAB DRIVER GAVE CHASE. DURING THE CHASE, POLICE SAY THE SUSPECT FIRED AT LEAST ONE SHOT. THE DRIVER WASN'T HIT. DURING THE MANHUNT THAT FOLLOWED, POLICE BLOCKED OFF THE AREA. POLICE EVENTUALLY FOUND THE MAN IN AN AREA APARTMENT WHERE HE WAS SUFFERING FROM A GUNSHOT WOUND. NO WORD ON HIS CONDITION THIS MORNING. POLICE HAVE NOT RELEASED HIS NAME.

LENGTH-01:36 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-12:00

MICHAEL VICK IS AN ADMITTED FELON THIS NOON, FACING JAIL TIME FOR HIS ROLE IN A DOGFIGHTING RING. VICK PLEADED GUILTY TO FEDERAL CHARGES IN A VIRGINIA COURTROOM TODAY. WHAT DEFENSIVE LINEMEN STRUGGLED TO DO TO MICHAEL VICK ON THE GIRDIRON FOR YEARS, DOGFIGHTING CHARGES COULD DO VIRTUALLY OVERNIGHT IN COURT. WHILE THE NIMBLE QUARTERBACK MADE A NAME FOR HIMSELF PLAYING OFFENSE, MONDAY MORNING HE WALKED INTO A FEDERAL COURTROOM IN RICHMOND, VIRGINIA AS A DEFENDANT. HIS PLEA AGREEMENT COMES AFTER GUILTY PLEAS FROM THREE CO-DEFENDANTS WHO ALL DESCRIBED VICK'S VIRGINIA PROPERTY AS THE HEADQUARTERS OF BAD NEWZ KENNELS, AND CLAIM VICK NOT ONLY FINANCED THE OPERATION, BUT TOOK PART IN GAMBLING, AND PERSONALLY KILLED UNDERPERFORMING DOGS BY DROWNING AND ELECTROCUTING THEM. "THAT'S THE PART THAT'S GOING TO BE VERY DIFFICULT FOR HIM TO REBOUND FROM IN TERMS OF WANTING TO PLAY PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL AGAIN IN THE FUTURE." BT WHAT VICK ADMITTED TO IN THE PLEA AGREEMENT IS THAT HE SPONSORED A DOGFIGHTING OPERATION THAT CROSSED STATE LINES, PRICIPATED IN THE " COLLECTIVE" EXECUTION OF 6 TO 8 DOGS, AND WHILE HE AGREES THAT HE FINANCED THE OPERATION, HE SAYS HE DID NOT BET ON THE DOGS. "FROM A DEFENSE STANDPOINT THEY ARE TRYING TO MINIMIZE THE AMOUNT OF GAMBLING HE DID, BUT HE DID GAMBLE." THE FALCONS' OWNER SAID VICK'S ADMISSIONS DESCRIBE ACTIONS THAT ARE " INCOMPREHENSIBLE AND UNACCEPTABLE." THE NFL COMMISSIONER WHO ALREADY SUSPENDED VICK WITHOUT PAY, MADE SIMILAR COMMENTS BUT SAID HE WOULD REVIEW THE SITUATION AFTER THE LEGAL PROCEEDINGS ARE OVER. THE DOOR IS NOW OPEN FOR THE FALCONS TO TAKE ACTION TO GET 22 MILLION DOLLARS BACK FROM VICK IN SIGNING BONUSES. AS FAR AS SENTENCING, PROSECUTORS ARE SUGGESTING 12 TO 18 MONTHS IN PRISON, BUT THE JUDGE COULD GIVE HIM FIVE YEARS, OR MORE.

LENGTH-01:34 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

THEY'RE MINI PORTIONS FROM MAJOR SNACK BRANDS. "I AM A TEACHER SO WHEN I GET PACKS READY FOR SCHOOL LUNCHES OR WHATEVER I'LL OCCASIONALLY BUY THE 100 CALORIE PACK." BUT DID YOU REALIZE YOU'RE PAYING MORE FOR LESS FOOD? THE CENTER FOR SCIENCE IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST CRUNCHED THE NUMBERS AND FOUND 100-CALORIE PORTIONS OF CHEX MIX AND KEEBLER DELUXE COOKIES COST THREE AND A HALF TIMES MORE PER OUNCE THAN THE REGULAR-SIZED PACKAGES. SNACK-SIZED CHEESE NIPS COST NEARLY FOUR TIMES AS MUCH. "THESE ARE EXTRAORDINARY PREMIUMS THAT PEOPLE ARE PAYING FOR THE LITTLE CONVENIENCE THAT THEY'RE GETTING." IN JUST 3 YEARS, SALES OF SNACK PACKS HAVE REACHED OVER 200 MILLION DOLLARS. "I LOVE THE 100 CALORIE PACKS BECAUSE// ITS NOT A LOT OF CALORIES ALL AT ONCE AND IT SATIATES MY CRAVING." BUT OTHERS SAY IT'S MORE ABOUT HYPE THAN HEALTH. "WHEN YOU BUY A REGULAR PACK IT COSTS A LOT LESS AND YOU GET A LOT MORE." SNACK MAKERS SAY THEY'RE NOT TRYING TO PULL A FAST ONE BY CHARGING MORE FOR LESS. GENERAL MILLS SAID DUE TO INCREASED MANUFACTURING AND PACKAGING COSTS, THE SMALLER PORTIONS ARE MORE EXPENSIVE TO PRODUCE. NABISCO EXPLAINED MOST OF ITS 100-CALORIE SNACKS ARE NOT JUST SMALLER VERSIONS OF THE CLASSICS, AND THAT ACTUALLY THE TASTE AND QUANTITY WERE DEVELOPED JUST FOR THIS PURPOSE. KELLOGG ADDED THAT THEY ACT AS A BUILT-IN STOP SIGN THAT CAN HELP CONSUMERS MANAGE THEIR CALORIES. AND HOSTESS SAID ITS GOAL WAS TO CREATE A PRODUCT THAT WAS PORTION CONTROLLED BUT STILL SATISFYING. YOU HAVE TO BE CAREFUL IF YOU TEND TO NOT STOP AT ONE PACKAGE YOU CAN RUN INTO TROUBLE. FOR EXAMPLE, IF YOU SPLURGE AND EAT TWO 100-CALORIE PACKS OF HOSTESS MINI CUPCAKES, SUDDENLY YOU'VE CONSUMED 'MORE' CALORIES THAN IF YOU HAD EATEN ONE 'LARGE' HOSTESS CUPCAKE. "I THINK IT'S IMPORTANT TO NOTE THAT NONE OF THESE FOODS ARE REALLY HEALTH FOODS WE'RE TALKING COOKIES AND CRACKERS, FOODS THAT WE REALLY SHOULDN'T BE EATING MUCH OF ANYHOW. "

LENGTH-00:19 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES FOUND A DEAD MAN EARLY THIS MORNING, BUT THEY DON'T KNOW HIS NAME. HE WAS ON THE GROUND AT OAKWOOD ESTATES IN PALMETTO, SHOT IN THE UPPER BODY. HE HAD NO ID, AND INVESTIGATORS ARE TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHO HE WAS.. WHO SHOT HIM... AND WHY. THE AFRICAN AMERICAN MAN WAS IN HIS LATE TEENS TO TWENTIES. ANYONE WITH INFORMATION IS ASKED TO CALL THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE AT 747-3011 OR CRIME STOPPERS.

LENGTH-00:53 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

MORE THAN A HALF MILLION CASES OF HEAD AND NECK CANCER ARE DIAGNOSED EACH YEAR WORLDWIDE. THESE INCLUDE CANCERS OF THE NOSE, MOUTH, THROAT, AND LARYNX. A NEW STUDY REVEALS THAT MANY HEAD AND NECK CANCERS ARE THE DIRECT RESULT OF SMOKING. DOCTORS FOLLOWED MORE THAN 470,000 PEOPLE FOR FIVE YEARS TO DETERMINE CANCER RATES. THEY FOUND THAT MEN WERE MORE LIKELY TO BE DIAGNOSED WITH HEAD AND NECK CANCER THAN WOMEN, BUT THAT

CASES IN WOMEN WERE MORE STRONGLY LINKED TO SMOKING. 45 PER CENT OF THE CASES IN MEN WERE ATTRIBUTED TO SMOKING, COMPARED TO 75 PER CENT OF THE CASES IN WOMEN. PREVIOUS RESEARCH HAS ALSO LINKED CHEWING TOBACCO TO AN INCREASED CHANCE OF ORAL CANCER. EXPERTS SAY THAT CUTTING OUT ALL FORMS OF TOBACCO IS THE BEST WAY TO REDUCE THE ODDS OF HEAD AND NECK CANCERS, BUT FOR WOMEN, IT MAY BE ESPECIALLY IMPORTANT. OTHER STUDIES HAVE FOUND THAT LIMITING SUN EXPOSURE DECREASES THE RISK AS WELL, AND PRELIMINARY RESEARCH SUGGESTS THE NEW CERVICAL CANCER VACCINE MAY ALSO REDUCE THE CHANCE OF THROAT CANCER.

LENGTH-00:38 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME- 5:30

A TAMPA STORE OWNER WANTS HELP NABBING SOME THIEVES WHO MADE OFF WITH ONE OF THE STORE'S PRIZE POSSESSIONS. THE OWNERS OF PETLAND SAY THREE SUSPECTS ARE SEEN ON SURVEILLANCE TAPE MAKING OFF WITH ONE OF THE STORE'S MOST POPULAR BIRDS. THE EXOTIC GREEN AND YELLOW BIRD NAMED "SKITTLES" IS FROM THE AMAZON AND IS NOT EASY TO TAKE CARE OF. "YOU HAVE TO HAVE THE RIGHT FOOD FOR HIM, YOU HAVE TO GIVE HIM THE RIGHT ATTENTION, YOU HAVE TO HAVE THE RIGHT CAGE. PERCHES, I MEAN EVERYTHING HAS TO BE RIGHT FOR THIS BIRD IN ORDER FOR HIM TO BE HEALTHY." THE STOLEN BIRD IS WORTH MORE THAN 18-HUNDRED DOLLARS. STORE OWNERS HOPE SOMEONE WILL RECOGNIZE THE THIEF ON VIDEOTAPE AND HELP BRING SKITTLES BACK HOME.

LENGTH-00:35 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

SEPTEMBER IS BOTH GYNECOLOGIC CANCER AWARENESS MONTH AND OVARIAN CANCER AWARENESS MONTH. AND THIS YEAR, SARASOTA MEMORIAL IS JOINING WITH THE GYNECOLOGIC CANCER FOUNDATION TO EDUCATE WOMEN ABOUT THE SYMPTOMS OF OVARIAN CANCER. HISTORICALLY, OVARIAN CANCER WAS A "SILENT KILLER" BECAUSE SYMPTOMS WEREN'T THOUGHT TO DEVELOP UNTIL THE DISEASE'S LATER STAGES, WHEN THE CHANCE FOR A CURE WAS POOR. HOWEVER, RECENT STUDIES HAVE SHOWN THERE ARE SYMPTOMS MORE LIKELY TO OCCUR IN WOMEN WITH OVARIAN CANCER. FOR THOSE CONCERNED THEY MAY BE AT RISK AND WANT TO LEARN MORE, SARASOTA MEMORIAL OFFERS THE ONLY GENETIC CANCER-SCREENING PROGRAM IN SARASOTA COUNTY. IT PROVIDES THE MOST CURRENT RESEARCH ABOUT OVARIAN CANCER, AS WELL AS GUIDELINES FOR SCREENING AND TREATMENT.

LENGTH-00:35 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

SOME HURRICANE KATRINA SURVIVORS JUST CAN'T GET A BREAK. HUNDREDS OF PORT A POTTIES FOR VICTIMS LIVING IN TEMPORARY SHELTER OR IN HOMES BEING REBUILT.... WERE SET ON FIRE BY AN ARSONIST. IT HAPPENED THIS WEEKEND AT THE POT-O-GOLD COMPANY IN ALABAMA. 300 HUNDRED BRAND NEW PORTABLE TOILETS WERE MELTED. THE FIRE CAUSED 200 THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DAMAGE. EITHER VANDALISM, OR SOMEONE PLAYING A SICK JOKE. I DON'T KNOW. AS YOU CAN SEE, IT'S NOT A GOOD SCENE". FORTUNATELY, NO CHEMICALS HAD BEEN LOADED INTO THE PORTABLES, WHICH COULD HAVE CAUSED AN EXPLOSION. A 10 THOUSAND DOLLAR REWARD HAS BEEN OFFERED TO ANYONE WHO CAN IDENTIFY THE CULPRITS.

AUGUST 28, 2007

LENGTH-00:30 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

IDAHO SENATOR LARRY CRAIG IS DENYING ANY INAPPROPRIATE CONDUCT IN CONNECTION WITH AN ARREST AT THE MINNEAPOLIS AIRPORT DESPITE PLEADING GUILTY TO MISDEMEANOR DISORDERLY CONDUCT EARLIER THIS MONTH. ROLL CALL, A CAPITOL HILL NEWSPAPER, REPORTS THE 62-YEAR-OLD, THREE-TERM SENATOR WAS ARRESTED JUNE 11TH BY A PLAINCLOTHES OFFICER INVESTIGATING COMPLAINTS OF LEWD CONDUCT IN A MEN'S RESTROOM AT THE AIRPORT. CRAIG SAYS POLICE MISCONSTRUED HIS ACTIONS. LAST FALL, CRAIG CALLED ALLEGATIONS FROM A GAY-RIGHTS ACTIVIST THAT HE'S HAD HOMOSEXUAL RELATIONSHIPS "COMPLETELY RIDICULOUS." CRAIG HAS STEPPED DOWN FROM MITT ROMNEY'S PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN.

LENGTH-00:29 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

A NEW STUDY FINDS ANTI-BACTERIAL SOAP IS NO MORE EFFECTIVE THAN REGULAR SOAP. THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN STUDY EXAMINED 27 DIFFERENT STUDIES AND FOUND NO DIFFERENCE IN THE NUMBER OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES THE SOAPS PREVENTED. THERE WAS ALSO NO DIFFERENCE IN THE AMOUNT OF BACTERIA STILL LINGERING ON THE HANDS AFTERWARD. THAT'S BECAUSE THE CONCENTRATION OF THE MAIN ACTIVE INGREDIENT IN ANTIBACTERIAL SOAPS -- TRICLOSAN -- IS TOO LOW TO MAKE IT BETTER THAN REGULAR SOAP IN KILLING BACTERIA. THE STUDY ALSO FOUND ANTIBACTERIAL SOAPS MAY MAKE SOME COMMON ANTIBIOTICS LESS EFFECTIVE BY CAUSING SOME BACTERIA TO BECOME RESISTANT.

LENGTH-00:27 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

CHARLOTTE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES BUST A NORTH PORT MAN JUST MINUTES AFTER THEY SAY HE ROBBED A PHARMACY.. THE C-V-S PHARMACY ON U-S 41 IN PORT CHARLOTTE WAS ROBBED LAST NIGHT. THE ROBBER DEMANDED CERTAIN PRESCRIPTIONS.. AND IMPLIED HE WAS ARMED.. AND GETTING THE DRUGS.. HE RAN OFF.. 11-MINUTES LATER.. A SHERIFF'S DEPUTY SPOTTED A MAN FITTING THE ROBBER'S DESCRIPTION.. A PHARMACY WORKER THEN I-D'd 37-YEAR-OLD JON POSTON OF NORTH PORT AS THE ROBBER..

AUGUST 29, 2007

LENGTH-01:00 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

STATINS, THE SAME DRUGS THAT LOWER CHOLESTEROL IN PEOPLE AT RISK FOR HEART ATTACKS, MAY ALSO FIGHT THE BRAIN-CLOGGING DEPOSITS OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE. UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON RESEARCHERS STUDIED THE BRAINS OF PEOPLE WHO DIED WHILE ENROLLED IN A BRAIN HEALTH STUDY. COMPARING THE BRAINS OF PEOPLE WHO TOOK STATINS TO THOSE WHO DID NOT, THEY FOUND FEWER OF THE BRAIN-TANGLING DEPOSITS IN THE STATIN GROUP. IT'S IMPORTANT TO NOTE THAT THIS WAS A SMALL STUDY THAT STILL NEEDS TO BE CONFIRMED IN LARGER, CONTROLLED TRIALS. FLU SEASON IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER. SO, WHAT'S THE BEST WAY TO FIGHT GERMS? DOCTORS SAY WASH YOUR HANDS, BUT WHICH CLEANSING PRODUCTS WORK THE BEST? YOU MIGHT BE SURPRISED... UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN RESEARCHERS COMPARED TWENTY-SEVEN SEPARATE STUDIES INVESTIGATING THE EFFECTIVENESS OF SOAPS CONTAINING TRICLOSAN --- THE INGREDIENT IN THESE SOAPS THAT KILLS GERMS. THEY LOOKED AT RATES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES AND MEASURED LEVELS OF BACTERIA THAT LINGERED ON HANDS AFTER WASHING AND...THE ANTIBACTERIAL SOAPS DIDN'T PREVENT MORE ILLNESS OR REMOVE MORE GERMS THAN REGULAR SOAP. THE REAL KEY IS WASHING THOROUGHLY FOR FIFTEEN TO THIRTY SECONDS WITH WARM WATER...AND ALLOWING THE SOAP TO LOOSEN BACTERIA AND WASH DOWN THE DRAIN.

LENGTH-01:28 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-12:00

"YEAH, IT'S GREAT....HOW CAN YOU ENJOY EATING SOME POOR, DEAD, ANIMAL?" IT'S A SCENE FROM LIZZIE MCGUIRE, BUT THESE DAYS IT'S A REALITY " I THINK I JUST BECAME A VEGETARIAN" THERE ARE MANY REASONS WHY TEENS CHOOSE A VEGETARIAN LIFESTYLE; LOVE OF ANIMALS, HEALTH CONCERNS. WHATEVER THE REASON, THEIR NUMBERS ARE GROWING....AND ESPECIALLY FOR GIRLS. THE AMERICAN DIETETIC ASSOCIATION ESTIMATES THAT A WHOPPING 11% OF GIRLS, AGES 13-17 HAVE GIVEN UP MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS. FIFTEEN YEAR-OLD KATIE MAYER IS ONE OF THEM (KAREN MAYER-KATIE'S MOM) I HAD A BIT OF DREAD AT FIRST. WONDERED HOW TO GET ENOUGH PROTEIN INTO HER AFTER ALL, KATIE IS IN HER

PRIME GROWTH YEARS WHEN PROTEIN IS A KEY TO HEALTHY DEVELOPMENT AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS ARE A PRIME SOURCE FOR MOST PEOPLE. PROTEIN IS THE MOST IMPORTANT NUTRIENT BESIDES WATER IF YOU'RE NOT GETTING ENOUGH IT CAN STUNT YOUR GROWTH, YOU ARE PRONE TO ILLNESS BECAUSE PROTEIN IS NECESSARY FOR THE IMMUNE SYSTEM. YOU CAN DIE WITHOUTH ENOUGH PROTEIN." A TYPICAL TEEN NEEDS 15 TO 20 GRAMS OF PROTEIN PER MEAL. SOY AND TOFU HAVE IT, TOO, BUT TEENS LOOKING TO LOSE WEIGHT SHOULD KNOW THERE CAN BE A CALORIE COST. THERE IS NO GUARANTEE THAT VEGETARIANS WILL LOSE WEIGHT FOR EXAMPLE, THREE OUNCES OF LEAN MEAT HAS 21 GRAMS AND 150 CALORIES. BUT IT WOULD TAKE 15 OUNCES OF TOFU TO GET THE SAME AMOUNT OF PROTEIN AND THE CALORIE COUNT RISES TO 322. AND THAT'S IF THEY'LL EAT THE TOFU WHEN SHE STARTED THIS SHE ATE MOSTLY PASTA AND SPAGHETTI HER FAVORITE FOOD NOW? KATIE MAYER / TEEN VEGETARIAN I EAT A LOT OF VEGGIE BURGERS AFTER A MEATLESS YEAR AND A HALF BOTH KATIE AND HER MOM ARE DOING BETTER BUT IT'S DEFINITELY BEEN A TEAM EFFORT IT TAKES MORE CREATIVITY. I READ VEGETARIAN COOKBOOKS ETC.//I PUT A MULTI VITAMIN IN HER TOO THE BOTTOM LINE? DO YOUR HOMEWORK ANYTIME A TEEN A TEEN DECISED TO MAKE A MAJOR CHANGE IN DIET, YOU NEED TO LOOK INTO IT. A VEGETARIAN DIET CAN BE ONE OF THE MOST HEALTHY DIETS ON THE PLANET BUT IT HAS TO BE DONE CORRECTLY

LENGTH-00:42 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

DEPUTIES WANT FOLKS TO BE ON ALERT AFTER A RECENT RASH OF HOME INVASIONS AND ARMED ROBBERIES. THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE TELLS US... RESTAURANT OWNERS MOST OFTEN TARGETED ARE THOSE WHO DON'T MAKE NIGHTLY CASH DEPOSITS AND BRING A BAG OF CASH HOME WITH THEM. THEY SAY IN MOST CASES THE BAD GUYS CASE THE AREA TO TRY AND FIGURE OUT THE POTENTIAL VICTIMS REGULAR ROUTINE A FEW TIMES BEFORE STRIKING. DEPUTIES WANT TO STOP THIS GROWING TREND BEFORE IT GROWS OUT OF CONTROL."WE NEED TO GET SOMETHING OUT ON THIS TO ALL THE RESTAURANT OWNERS AND BUSINESS OWNERS SO IT DOESN'T TURN INTO A MAJOR PROBLEM." DEPUTIES BELIEVE MOST OF THE HOMES ARE TARGETED AND THE CROOKS KNOW WHAT THEY'RE AFTER...AND NOT A RANDOM ATTACK. SHERIFF'S SPOKESMAN DAVE BRISTOW SAYS SOME OF THE MOST EASY WAYS TO PROTECT YOURSELF...DON'T TAKE CASH HOME AND ALWAYS DEPOSIT IT AT A BANK. ALSO, BE AWARE OF YOUR SURROUNDINGS AND CAL 9-1-1 IF YOU THINK YOU'RE BEING FOLLOWED.

LENGTH-00:54 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-5:00

OBESITY HAS LONG BEEN LINKED TO INCOME LEVEL, WHERE LOWER SOCIOECONOMIC GROUPS FACE A HIGHER RISK THAN MORE WEALTHY POPULATIONS. BUT A NEW STUDY ILLUSTRATES JUST HOW STRONG THE CONNECTION IN BETWEEN OBESITY AND ECONOMIC STATUS. RESEARCHERS STUDIED 8800 PEOPLE LIVING KING COUNTY IN SEATTLE. THE PARTICIPANTS IN THE STUDY WERE DIVIDED AMONG 74 DIFFERENT ZIP CODES, WITH SOME LIVING IN DISADVANTAGED AREAS AND OTHERS LIVING IN AFFLUENT COMMUNITIES. RESULTS SHOWED OBESITY LEVELS REACHED AS HIGH AS 30 PER CENT IN POORER NEIGHBORHOODS, COMPARED TO JUST 5 PER

CENT IN WEALTHY AREAS. THROUGHOUT THE ZIP CODES, AS HOME VALUES ROSE, OBESITY LEVELS DROPPED - EACH ADDITIONAL \$100,000 IN HOME VALUE EQUATED A 2 PERCENT DECREASE IN OBESITY. NEIGHBORHOOD LOCATION WAS A MORE POWERFUL PREDICTOR OF OBESITY LEVELS THAN RACE OR INCOME. PREVIOUS MAPS OF THE UNITED STATES WERE NOT AS DETAILED AND SHOWED LITTLE DIFFERENCE IN OBESITY RISK AMONG THE POOREST AND RICHEST STATES. BUT THIS NEW RESEARCH FINDS THAT OBESITY DOES DISCRIMINATE-- AND THOSE IN AREAS OF THE LOWEST INCOME, LOWEST EDUCATION, AND LOWEST PROPERTY VALUES SUFFER THE MOST.

LENGTH-00:24 ISSUE-CRIME 11 SHOW TIME-5:30

NEW TECHNOLOGY IS BEING PUT TO USE TO CATCH CRIMINALS. STARTING TODAY YOU CAN NOW SEND IN CRIME TIPS...TO SARASOTA COUNTY CRIMESTOPPERS THROUGH TEXT MESSAGING... THE TIPS CAN BE UP TO 160 CHARACTERS LONG. ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS TYPE IN TIPS-109. THEN THE MESSAGE 2-5-7-3-5. YOU'LL RECEIVE AN AUTOMATED RESPONSE BACK WITH A CONFIDENTIAL CODE NUMBER.. SO YOU CAN ADD MORE INFORMATION LATER.

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-6:00

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARE LOOKING FOR A WOMAN WHO ROBBED THE SUNTRUST BANK IN ELLENTON. SHE WALKED INTO THE BANK ON 301 THIS AFTERNOON... HANDED THE TELLER A NOTE DEMANDING MONEY, AND LEFT WITH CASH. SHE'S DESCRIBED AS 5-FOOT-4, MEDIUM BUILD AND IN HER 20S. SHE WAS WEARING A NEW YORK YANKEES CAP AND JERSEY. AND DRIVING A 2004 CHEVROLET COBALT WITH A POSSIBLE TAG OF i-1-2-L-U-V.

LENGTH-00:36 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-11:00

FROM OUR MANATEE COUNTY NEWSROOM.. THE TRIAL OF CLIFFORD DAVIS WILL LIKELY BE POSTPONED. HE'S THE BRADENTON MAN ACCUSED OF STRANGLING BOTH HIS GRANDFATHER AND MOTHER, THEN SEXUALLY ABUSING HIS MOTHER'S BODY. THE JUDGE EXPRESSED CONCERN TODAY THAT POTENTIAL JURORS COULD CONFUSE DAVIS WITH RICHARD HENDERSON OR BLAINE ROSS. ALL THREE MEN ARE CLOSE IN AGE, AND BOTH HENDERSON AND ROSS WERE CONVICTED THIS YEAR OF KILLING THEIR FAMILY MEMBERS. THE JUDGE THINKS POTENTIAL JURORS MAY NEED A BREAK TO CLEAR ANY CONFUSION OVER WHO'S WHO. DAVIS' TRIAL WAS SCHEDULED TO START IN NOVEMBER. IT'S LIKELY BEING POSTPONED UNTIL MARCH. THE FINAL DECISION WILL BE MADE IN TWO WEEKS.

AUGUST 30, 2007

LENGTH-00:17 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

A BRADENTON MAN IS PRISON BOUND. 51-YEAR OLD PHILLIP CASCIOLA HAS BEEN SENTENCED TO 22-YEARS IN PRISON FOR FRAUD. STATE INVESTIGATORS SAY HE USED THE INTERNET TO SELL AIRCRAFT PARTS...BUT EITHER SHIPPED INCORRECT PARTS OR DIDN'T SEND THEM AT ALL. CASCIOLA WAS SENTENCED TO PRISON AFTER FAILING TO PAY MORE THAN 350-THOUSAND DOLLARS IN RESTITUTION TO HIS VICTIMS.

LENGTH-01:29 ISSUE-ELDERLY 7 SHOW TIME-12:00

DAVID AND IDA FRANKEL HAVE BEEN MARRIED AN UNBELIEVABLE 73 YEARS. CAN I HOLD HER HAND? I HAVE BEEN HOLDING IT FOR 73 YEARS! 7 YEARS AGO, IDA BECAME ONE OF 4 AND A HALF MILLION AMERICANS DIAGNOSED WITH ALZHEIMER'S SHE WAS BEING VERY FORGETFUL. REPEATING QUESTIONS OVER AND OVER AGAIN. WHICH IS WHY IDA IS ONE OF THE FIRST PATIENTS AT THIS ALZHEIMERS CENTER IN FLORIDA TO BE IMPLANTED WITH A MICROCHIP. WHEN AN ALZHEIMERS PATIENT GETS LOST, ONCE THEIR ARM IS SCANNED IT WOULD IDENTIFY WHO THEY ARE AND THAT THEY ARE AN ALZHEIMER'S PATIENT. THE VERACHIP IS THE SIZE OF A GRAIN OF RICE . IT HAS A 16 DIGIT IDENTIFICATION NUMBER WHICH GETS SCANNED AT A HOSPITAL. WHEN THE NUMBER IS PUT INTO A DATABASE, IT CAN PROVIDE CRUCIAL MEDICAL INFORMATION. IF YOU GET LOST WE WILL FIND YOU , ALSO SEE IF YOU HAVE ANY MEDICAL PROBLEMS .. I'M GOING TO PUT THE CHIP IN .. ** IT'S THE LATEST TYPE OF HI-TECH GEAR USED TO CARE FOR THE ELDERLY OR PEOPLE IN NEED....LIKE THESE MOTION SENSORS WATCHING BILL BAILEY'S 90 YEAR-OLD FATHER AL IT'S ALMOST A LITTLE BIG BROTHER, BUT WHEN YOU THINK OF IT, IT'S REALLY USEFUL TO BE ABLE TO SEE SOMEONE IS GETTING ALONG AND GATHER THAT SORT OF INFORMATION. ITS THE SAME TECHNOLOGY USED TO TRACK WAYWARD PETS... AND PRIVACY GROUPS SAY IT STRIPS ALZHEIMER'S PATIENTS OF THEIR HUMAN DIGNITY. I DON'T THINK THAT BECAUSE IT'S USEFUL IN ANIMALS IS A REASON WHY WE SHOULD DO IT IN HUMAN BEINGS. THERE IS A DISTINCTION BETWEEN AN ANIMAL AND A HUMAN BEING. BUT DAVID FRANKEL DOESN'T SEE IT THAT WAY! DON'T THINK THERE'S ANYTHING TO WORRY ABOUT. AND HE DECIDED TO GET THE CHIP TOO. 34 PATIENTS AND CAREGIVERS GOT THE CHIP YESTERDAY. DOZENS MORE WILL IN THE NEXT WEEK. IT IS IMPORTANT TO REINFORCE THIS IS NOT A GPS. THE PATIENTS CAN'T BE TRACKED. IT JUST PROVIDES A CODE FOR A DATABASE. RIGHT NOW THE COMPANY IS GIVING THEM AWAY FOR FREE.

LENGTH-00:18 ISSUE—CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPUTIES ARE SEARCHING FOR A MAN WHO ABDUCTED AND RAPED A YOUNG WOMAN. THE WOMAN WAS WALKING ALONG 14TH STREET WEST WHEN SHE WAS PULLED INTO A BLUE SUV. THE VICTIM SAYS SHE BLACKED OUT... AND WHEN SHE CAME TO, THE RAPIST DROPPED HER OFF. THE VICTIM WAS TAKEN TO A HOSPITAL WITH EVIDENCE OF SEXUAL BATTERY.

LENGTH-0000:16 ISSUE-DRUGS 11 SHOW TIME-5:00

A SARASOTA MAN FACES A CHARGE OF TRAFFICKING MARIJUANA. AUTHORITIES SAY 28-YEAR-OLD TRENARD GARNER OF SARASOTA SOLD A POUND OF MARIJUANA, WORTH 13-HUNDRED DOLLARS LAST MONTH TO AN UNDERCOVER OFFICER. DETECTIVES ARRESTED GARNER WHEN HE MET AGAIN YESTERDAY WITH THE UNDERCOVER OFFICER.

AUGUST 31, 2007

LENGTH-00:55 ISSUE-HEALTH 5 SHOW TIME-SUNRISE

MARY SKOKAN DIDN'T HAVE ANY SYMPTOMS BEFORE BEING DIAGNOSED WITH HEPATITIS C TWO YEARS AGO. WHEN I HEARD THE NEWS, I WAS PRETTY DEVASTATED. MARY IS AMONG AN ESTIMATED FOUR MILLION AMERICANS WITH HEPATITIS C, A DEADLY VIRUS THAT IS TRANSMITTED THROUGH INFECTED BLOOD THAT CAN INFLAME THE LIVER. LIKE MARY, MANY OF THE PATIENTS CONTRACTED THE DISEASE THROUGH I-V DRUG USE. INTRAVENOUS DRUG USE IN THIS COUNTRY IS THE MOST COMMON ROUTE OF TRANSMISSION, HOWEVER THERE ARE OTHER ROUTES, TATTOOS, TATTOOING THAT'S DONE IN AN UN-STERILE SORT OF FASHION. DOCTOR ZOB AIR YOUNOSSI CALLS HEPATITIS C A SILENT EPIDEMIC, ESPECIALLY IN PARTS OF THE COUNTRY WHERE IV DRUG USE IS ON THE RISE AMONG TEENS AND YOUNG ADULTS. LEFT UNTREATED, THE DISEASE CAN LEAD TO CIRRHOSIS, LIVER FAILURE AND CANCER. THERE IS AN INCREASE, A SIGNIFICANT INCREASE IN THE NUMBER OF LIVER CANCERS AND MOST OF THOSE CASES ARE EXPLAINED BY HEPATITIS C. COMBINATION DRUGS ARE EFFECTIVE IN TREATING HEPATITIS C, BUT THERE ARE SIDE EFFECTS. THEY'RE ALSO EXPENSIVE AND NEED TO BE TAKEN FOR SIX MONTHS TO A YEAR.

LENGTH-01:06 ISSUE-WOMEN 8 SHOW TIME-12:00

YOU SORT OF FEEL LIKE YOU'VE BEEN ROLLED OVER BY A MACK TRUCK WHEN YOU WAKE UP. FOR HELEN DORMAN THE PAIN OF BREAST SURGERY WAS ALMOST MORE

THAN SHE COULD BARE. THIS-SHE'S BEEN TOLD CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE. AND NO IT'S NOT A NEW DRUG-IT'S HYPNOSIS. IN FACT A NEW STUDY IN THE JOURNAL OF THE NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE SUGGESTS HYPNOSIS MIGHT REDUCE MORE THAN JUST PAIN IN WOMEN BEFORE AND AFTER BREAST CANCER SURGERY. T2 645 WE FOUND PATIENTS IN HYPNOSIS GROUP HAD LESS PAIN, NAUSEA AND FATIGUE AND THEY WERE LESS EMOTIONALLY UPSET OR LESS ANXIOUS SO IT REALLY WAS A WIN FOR THE PATIENTS. NATS: DRIFT AND DREAM AND FLOW.... HYPNOSIS IT HAS A LONG HISTORY OF BEING EFFECTIVE FOR PAIN, WEIGHT LOSS AND EVEN CIGARETTE CRAVINGS. AMAZINGLY, MEDICAL HYPNOTHERAPY HAS EVEN BEEN USED FOR SURGERY IN PLACE OF TRADITIONAL ANESTHESIA. DURING THIS OPERATION, A DOCTOR COMPLETED A SKIN GRAFTING OPERATION WITHOUT ANY OTHER ANESTHESIA.. HIS PATIENT-A FRAIL MIDDLE AGED WOMAN- WAS ABLE TO WITHSTAND THE PAIN BECAUSE SHE WAS EFFECTIVELY HYPNOTIZED. SOT DOC: THAT WAS AMAZING! YOU CANNOT DO THIS WITHOUT ANESTHESIA.INTERESTINGLY THE HYPNOSIS PATIENTS CUT DOWN THEIR COSTS AS WELL AS PAIN. SURGICAL COSTS WERE REDUCED BY ABOUT \$773 PER PATIENT, MAINLY DUE TO THE TIME SAVINGS. NATS: JUST A COOL RELAXING FEELING .

LENGTH-00:22 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:00

A 64-YEAR OLD TEACHER FROM VENICE IS OUT OF A JOB AND IN THE SARASOTA COUNTY JAIL TONIGHT WITHOUT BOND. PHILIP SPOELKER WAS TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY VENICE POLICE ON THURSDAY, ARRESTED ON A FUGITIVE WARRANT OUT OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY, MARYLAND. ST. MARY'S COUNTY DETECTIVES SAY THAT SPOEKLER IS ACCUSED OF FONDLING A 15 YEAR OLD BOY IN 1978. SPOELKER WAS A PART TIME INSTRUCTOR AT MANATEE COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUT HAS BEEN LET GO. HE'S CHARGED WITH CHILD ABUSE AND A FOURTH DEGREE SEX OFFENSE.

LENGTH-01:20 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

"I HEARD IT CLEAR AS DAY I THOUGH THEY WERE STANDING RIGHT AT MY BACK DOOR." WE ARE SCARED TO DEATH WE ARE SCARED TO DEATH." GUNSHOTS WERE AN UNEXPECTED EARLY MORNING WAKE UP CALL FOR NEIGHBORS IN THE GARDENWALK CONDO COMMUNITY. "I WAS STUCK IN A CORNER FOR ABOUT AN HOUR DIDN'T WANT TO MOVE SCARED SOMETHING WAS GOING TO COME THROUGH MY WINDOW."MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICIALS SAY IT STARTED OFF AS A ATTEMPTED ABDUCTION AND ROBBERY."THIS IS RIDICULOUS THIS IS NOT SAFE." A WOMEN WAS WALKING UP THESE STAIRS AROUND 12-30 FRIDAY MORNING. SHE TOLD DEPUTIES, TWO BLACK MEN IN SKI MASKS... RAN UP, GRABBED HER FROM BEHIND...THEN DRAGGED HER BEHIND THE BUILDING. LUCKILY SHE WAS ABLE TO GET AWAY."THERE WERE COPS OUT HERE THERE WAS A GIRL AND SOMEBODY TRIED TO PULL A GUN OUT ON HER." MANATEE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICIALS SAY IT DIDN'T END THERE. A FEW HOURS LATER THEY BELIEVE THE SAME MEN CAME BACK AND STARTED FIRING SEVERAL ROUND INTO THE BUILDING...A NEARBY CAR WAS HIT TOO. "WE ARE NOT SAFE HERE ANYMORE."

THIS NEIGHBOR IS SO AFRAID SHE DIDN'T WANT HER FACE SHOWN. SHE SAYS THIS ISN'T THE FIRST TIME SOMETHING LIKE THIS HAS HAPPENED."THERE WAS AN ARMED ROBBERY RIGHT IN FRONT OF OUR PLACE." SHE SAY PROPERTY MANAGERS PROMISE TO HELP CLEAN UP THE NEIGHBORHOOD. BUT NOTHING HAS HAPPENED. NOW SHE WANTS JUST PACK UP AND MOVE."MY MOM IS 82 YEARS OLD AND I AM SCARED TO GO TO WORK AT NIGHT."WHEN WE FIST MOVED IN THEY SAID THEY HAD SECURITY HERE." WE TRIED TO ASK THE PROPERTY MANAGERS WHAT THEY PLAN TO DO TO FIX THE PROBLEM. BUT THEY TURNED US AWAY. REPORTER: "WE WANTED TO ASK QUESTIONS BECAUSE A LOT OF RESIDENTS ARE CONSIDERED ABOUT SAFETY. THEY SAID SECURITY IS SUPPOSED TO BE HERE?"I'VE SEEN SECURITY ONE TIME IN TWENTY FOUR HOURS IT'S JUST LIKE THEY DON'T CARE."

LENGTH-00:48 ISSUE-CRIME 1 SHOW TIME-5:30

ST. PETE POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR THIS MAN SEEN IN STORE SURVEILLANCE VIDEO AFTER HE ALLEGEDLY FOLLOWED THREE YOUNG GIRLS INTO A WOMAN'S RESTROOM AT THE WALGREEN'S ON 34TH STREET IN NORTH SAINT PETERSBURG. THE CHILDREN AGES 10, 11, AND 12 HAD GONE TO THE STORE WITH THEIR DAD. "THE OLDEST ONE WAS THE ONE THAT ENCOUNTERED HIM FIRST. AND HE PUSHED HER IN AN ATTEMPT TO PREVENT HER FROM EXITING THE DOOR." THIS IS A POLICE COMPOSITE SKETCH OF WHAT THE SUSPECT LOOKS LIKE. THE SUSPECT ALLEGEDLY ATTEMPTED TO SEXUALLY MOLEST THE CHILDREN. "THE WHITE MALE HAD REQUESTED THAT THE THREE YOUNG GIRLS PULL THEIR PANTS DOWN. AND THEY REFUSED TO DO THAT." POLICE SAY THE CHILDREN BEGAN TO CRY, AND THE MAN TOLD THEM TO GO INTO A STALL. "HE HAD ALL THREE OF THEM ENTER THE HANDICAP STALL - WHICH IS THE LARGEST STALL - AND HE INSTRUCTED THEM TO COUNT TO A CERTAIN NUMBER - I'M NOT SURE WHAT THAT NUMBER IS - BEFORE THEY EXITED." BUT THE GIRLS DIDN'T DO THAT, ON THE SURVEILLANCE VIDEO YOU SEE THE SUSPECT LEAVE THE STORE WITH THE CHILDREN RUNNING CLOSE BEHIND.